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# ANNUAL REPORT

FOR THE  
TOWN of HAMILTON  
MASSACHUSETTS



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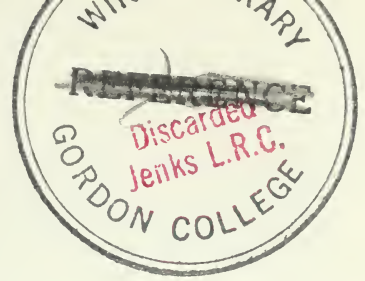
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# **ANNUAL REPORT**

**for the**

**TOWN of HAMILTON**

**MASSACHUSETTS**

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**TOWN OF HAMILTON  
ESSEX COUNTY  
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Incorporated June 21, 1793

Area 14.99 sq. miles

Sixth Congressional District

Fifth Councillor District

Third Essex Senatorial District

Second Representative District

**1971 OFFICIALS**

Congressman ..... Michael J. Harrington of Beverly

Councillor..... John J. Buckley of Lawrence

Senator ..... William L. Saltonstall of Manchester

Representative ..... James B. Moseley of Hamilton

County Commissioners (3)	{	Daniel J. Burke of Lynnfield Edward H. Cahill of Lynn William J. Donovan of Lawrence
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**POPULATION**

1920	1631	(Federal Census)
1925	2018	(State " )
1930	2044	(Federal " )
1935	2235	(State " )
1940	2037	(Federal " )
1945	2387	(State " )
1950	2764	(Federal " )
1955	4116	(State " )
1960	5488	(Federal " )
1965	6141	(State " )
1970	6374	(Federal " )
1971	6606	(State " )

## **1971 TOWN OFFICERS**

### **Elected and Appointed**

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#### **Selectmen**

**WILLIAM F. MacKENZIE**, Chairman  
Term Expires 1972

**LAWRENCE R. STONE**  
Term Expires 1974

**GEORGE H. RICKER**  
Term Expires 1973

#### **Board of Health**

**JAMES DeANGELIS**, Chairman  
Term Expires 1973

**LAWRENCE W. ASHTON** (Resigned)  
Term Expires 1974

**DR. EDWARD ROAF**  
Term Expires 1972

**ERNEST A. DALE**  
Term Expires 1974

**Board of Health Nurse**  
**WEALTHEA NELSON**

#### **Moderator**

**PAUL F. PERKINS, JR.**

#### **Town Clerk - Town Accountant**

**FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE**

#### **Treasurer**

**EVERETT F. HALEY**

#### **Tax Collector**

**GEORGE F. DAWE**

#### **Assessors**

**ROBERT H. CHITTICK**, Chairman  
Term Expires 1974

**ROBERT H. BROOKS**  
Term Expires 1972

**CORNELIUS J. MURRAY, JR.**  
Term Expires 1973

**Planning Board**

GEORGE C. CUTLER, Chairman  
Term Expires 1975

DR. HENRY F. LARCHEZ  
Term Expires 1973

W. WHITNEY LUNDGREN  
Term Expires 1976

HENRY J. GOURDEAU  
Term Expires 1974

RUSSELL E. MEADE  
Term Expires 1972

**Finance and Advisory Committee**

PAUL M. PILCHER, Chairman

GEORGE H. CONNOLLY  
DONALD R. PHILLIPS

EDMUND J. REINHALTER  
OLIVER J. WOLCOTT, JR.

**Town Counsel**

STANDISH BRADFORD (Resigned)  
HAROLD M. WILLCOX

**Registrars of Voters**

GEORGE MORROW, Chairman (Deceased)  
Term Expires 1972

EDWARD DeWITT  
Term Expires 1973

GUY F. ALLERUZZO  
Term Expires 1974

FRANCIS A. O'HARA  
Term Expires 1972

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE, Clerk-Officio

**Fire Engineers**

LAWRENCE LAMSON, Chief

CHARLES W. DOLLIVER  
GEORGE MORROW (Deceased)

ROBERT H. CHITTICK III  
GORDON L. THOMPSON

WAYNE GAUTHIER

**Board of Public Works**

GORDON L. THOMPSON, Chairman  
Term Expires 1972

THEODORE W. MAIONE  
Term Expires 1974

DONALD L. MILLER  
Term Expires 1973

WALLACE E. LANE, Superintendent

**Forest Warden**

LAWRENCE LAMSON

**Building Inspector**

BENJAMIN A. DODGE

Electrical Inspector  
ROBERT T. BROWN

Gas Inspector  
THOMAS J. MULLINS

Plumbing Inspector  
THOMAS J. MULLINS

Inspector of Animals  
WILLIAM WALSH

Inspector of Milk  
WILLIAM WALSH

Sanitary Engineer  
LEO L. PANUNZIO

Sealer of Weights and Measures  
GEORGE W. DIXON

Dog Officer  
CARL WEAVER

Deputy Dog Officer  
MARILYN WEAVER

Civil Defense Director  
ALBERT R. CHOUINARD

Veterans' Service Director  
FRANK E. STORY

School Committee  
JAMES T. CAMPBELL, Chairman  
Term Expires 1972

ROBERT E. KING  
Term Expires 1974

DR. HAROLD D. MOSES  
Term Expires 1974

PHILIP H. STOCKFORD  
Term Expires 1972

CHARLES W. PORTER-SHIRLEY  
Term Expires 1973

Superintendent of Schools  
HAMMOND A. YOUNG

**Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District Committee  
Hamilton Members**

RICHARD S. HERNDON  
Term Expires 1974  
(Elected Member)

JOE Y. JACKSON  
Term Expires 1972  
(Elected Member)

DR. HAROLD D. MOSES  
Term Expires 1974  
(Appointed Member)

**Members of the Hamilton-Wenham  
Regional School District Committee**

DR. HAROLD D. MOSES	(Hamilton)	Chairman
DR. BENJAMIN BRETTTLER	(Wenham)	Vice Chairman
RICHARD S. HERNDON, JR.	(Hamilton)	Treasurer
CHARLES F. TERRELL	(Wenham)	Secretary
ROBERT N. SECORD	(Wenham)	Assistant Secretary
JOE Y. JACKSON	(Hamilton)	

**Trustees of Public Library**

J. ROY WOLFSKILL, Chairman  
Term Expires 1973

CAROLYN W. LANDER  
Term Expires 1974

SARAH H. TRUSSELL  
Term Expires 1972

**Librarian**

RUTH K. KITE

**Conservation Commission**

CHARLES J. OLIVER, Chairman  
Term Expires 1974

HENRY H. TAYLOR  
Term Expires 1972  
CLIFTON S. SIBLEY  
Term Expires 1972  
MARY W. PERKINS  
Term Expires 1973

G. ELISE SNOW  
Term Expires 1974  
F. CHESTER CHILD  
Term Expires 1974  
FREDERIC WINTHROP  
Term Expires 1973

**Housing Authority**

GEORGE E. CANTWELL, Chairman  
Term Expires 1973

DONALD B. ALMQUIST (Resigned)  
Term Expires 1972  
JOHN B. CLEMENZI  
Term Expires 11/14/73  
(State Appointed Member)

JOSEPH B. HUGHES  
Term Expires 1972  
DR. DONALD W. BEATTIE  
Term Expires 1975

CLIFFORD R. BENZEL  
Term Expires 1976

**Board of Appeals**  
**Protective (Zoning) By-Law and Subdivision Control Law**

GEORGE G. BECKETT, Chairman  
 Term Expires 1972

CARL POEHLER, JR.  
 Term Expires 1973

H. GRANT CROWELL  
 Term Expires 1974

**Alternate Members**

DONALD G. HARRADEN

LEONARD LaCHANCE

**Board of Appeals under Building By-Law**

W. WHITNEY LUNDGREN, Chairman

RAYMOND R. MARTEL  
 PHILIP H. STOCKFORD

CARL POEHLER, JR.  
 ROBERT T. BROWN

**Measurers of Wood, Lumber and Bark**

THEODORE E. JOHNSON

ROBERT E. HENDERSON

HOVEY F. HUMPHREY

**Field Drivers**

GEORGE MORROW (Deceased)

WOODBURY M. BARTLETT

WILLIAM W. BANCROFT

**Fence Viewers**

GEOFFREY C. SARGEANT

HAROLD A. DALEY

NEIL M. MacLAREN

**Weighers of Coal, Hay, Grain, Etc.**

GEORGE W. DIXON

GEORGE MORROW (Deceased)

**Personnel Board**

RICHARD C. TAYLOR, Chairman

Term Expires 1973

(Appointed by Finance Committee)

H. WILLARD HORNE

PERCY CURTIS

Term Expires 1972

Term Expires 1972

(Appointed by Finance Committee)

(Appointed by Selectmen)

WILLIAM SYMONDS (Resigned)

EDWARD S. ROWLAND

Term Expires 1974

Term Expires 1974

(Appointed by Moderator)

(Appointed by Moderator)

RICHARD F. HARTNETT

Term Expires 1973

(Appointed by Selectmen)

**Council on Aging**

DANA H. BENFIELD, Chairman

(Appointed by Selectmen)

ELIZABETH NEWBORG

CHESTER H. PEABODY

PATRICIA E. OLIVER

LAWRENCE T. PETERSON

JANICE E. COSTELLO

ABRAHAM L. SHEPPARD

(Appointed by Selectmen)

(Appointed by Chairman)



# Youth Advisory Council

(Appointed by Selectmen)

LAWRENCE CARLSON  
DONNA WHIPPLE

FATHER THOMAS DWYER  
ROBERT P. BONAZOLI

JEROME PIEH

## School Needs Study Committee

Authorized by Annual Town Meeting held March 1, 1954

DR. HAROLD D. MOSES, Chairman

JAMES T. CAMPBELL  
HAMMOND A. YOUNG  
HENRY J. GOURDEAU

JOSEPH M. HURLEY, JR.  
GEORGE C. CUTLER  
THOMAS A. DODD

CHARLES W. PORTER-SHIRLEY

## Historical Commission

HAROLD A. DALEY, Chairman  
Term Expires 1974

MARTHA E. PIERCE  
Term Expires 1972

## Historic District Study Committee

(Appointed by Selectmen)

HAROLD A. DALEY, Chairman

DR. DONALD W. BEATTIE  
C. STUART CARROLL  
JANICE PULSIFER

ANN NEARY  
MARJORIE A. RYDER  
FELLOWS DAVIS

## Master Plan Study Committee

Authorized by Annual Town Meeting Held March 2, 1970

(Appointed by Moderator)

DONALD L. MILLER, Chairman

WILLIAM F. MacKENZIE  
GEORGE G. BECKETT  
GEORGE C. CUTLER  
JAMES L. DeANGELIS  
HAMMOND A. YOUNG

SUSIE W. RLOAND  
EDMUND J. REINHALTER  
MARJORIE A. RYDER  
CELESTE M. SICHENZE (Resigned)  
G. ELISE SNOW

HAROLD M. WILLCOX

## Regional (Vocational) School District Planning Committee

Authorized by Annual Town Meeting Held March 1, 1971

(Appointed by Moderator)

JAMES T. CAMPBELL, Chairman

BRUCE C. RAMSEY

GORDON L. THOMPSON

REPORT

of the

TOWN CLERK

1971

## REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

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To the Citizens of Hamilton:

I herewith submit my twenty-eighth annual report as Clerk of the Town of Hamilton.

During the year 1971 the elections and town meetings consisted only of the annual town meeting and election. Records of each are printed in this report.

A list of 1971 births, marriages and deaths recorded during the year is included in this report. Legislation during the year lowered the voting age from 21 to 18 years of age which resulted in a normal increase in registration of voters.

A census was taken during the year of all residents of the Town under the supervision of the Town Clerk which showed a total population as of January 1, 1971 to be 6,606.

I express my sincere appreciation to Mrs. Boyles, Mrs. Quinn, Miss Hanson of the town hall staff for their generous and willing assistance during the year. Also to Ray M. Sanford, Sr. for the very excellent manner in which he conducted the census. Also to all townspeople who have assisted me in any way during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE

Town Clerk

# **REPORT OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

**Held in the Junior High School Auditorium**

**March 1, 1971**

**and**

**of the**

## **ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION**

**Held March 9, 1971**

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**MODERATOR:** Paul F. Perkins, Jr.

### **ELECTION OFFICERS**

#### **Checkers**

Ann K. Moore  
Ray M. Sanford

Gloria R. Duclow  
Francis O'Hara

Edward A. DeWitt

#### **Counters**

George W. Dixon  
Dorothy Crowley  
Donald Child  
Virginia Healey  
Rita Stelling  
Elizabeth Newborg  
Helen Boyles

Guy F. Alleruzzo  
Bernard A. Cullen  
Rosamond Dunn  
Louise MacGregor  
Charles W. Dolliver, Jr.  
Wendy Hanson  
Edith Child

Marie Arnold

#### **Assistants**

Gelean M. Campbell

Raymond A. Whipple, Jr.

#### **Police**

Edward H. Frederick, Chief

Lester D. Charles

Robert W. Poole

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The Moderator, Mr. Paul F. Perkins, opened the meeting at ten minutes after eight o'clock in the evening on Monday, March 1, 1971.

Moderator: "The Warrant for tonight's meeting containing the articles to be acted on is set forth in your Annual Report on pages 105-113. The recommendations of the Finance and Advisory Committee begin on page 114. The first business of the evening is Article 2: 'To choose and appoint or to fix the number of and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint, other Town Officers in such manner as the Town may determine'."

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That three field drivers and three measurers of wood, lumber and bark be elected by the meeting from the floor, and that the field drivers be nominated and elected first and the measurers of wood, lumber and bark immediately following."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That George Morrow, William W. Bancroft and Woodbury M. Bartlett be elected field drivers for the ensuing year."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That Theodore E. Johnson, Robert E. Henderson and Hovey F. Humphrey be elected measurers of wood, lumber and bark for the ensuing year."

Voice vote: Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 3. Moderator: "To hear the reports of the Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees and take any action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Lawrence R. Stone and duly seconded: "That the reports of Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees as printed or inserted in the Town Report for 1970 be received and placed on file."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 4. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to adopt as amendments to the Personnel By-law the changes in the classification and compensation plans and other changes in the By-law recommended by the Personnel Board, copies of which are on file with the Town Clerk and are available for inspection or for delivery to any interested person, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Richard C. Taylor and duly seconded: "That the Town adopt the amendments to the Personnel By-law recommended by the Personnel Board and printed in the 1970 Town Report at pages 102 through 104."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Article 5. Moderator: "To raise and appropriate money for Schools, Highways and all other Town expenses and determine the manner of expending the same."

Mr. Paul M. Pilcher: "Your Annual Report for the year 1970 includes the Warrant for this year's Town Meeting and the 1971 budget as presented by the Finance Committee. You will note our recommendations refer to the School Committee's figures. All of us are aware of the ever increasing costs of our educational programs. We are also aware of the need for the taxpayers and the committees to work closely together. Your Finance Committee intends to meet at least quarterly with each School Committee from now on and we suggest you, as taxpayers, attend as many of the open School Committee meetings as possible so that the voices of the Town can take an active part in school affairs at planning levels. The budget as a whole reflects an increase of \$6.50 on the tax rate. We cannot tell you what support we will receive from the State this year, but understand this support can be over \$120,000 less than it was a year ago. This could mean another \$2.50 on the tax rate making a total of \$9.00. The special articles in the Warrant present on the whole conservative and progressive programs. Their adoption as recommended will not cause the Town to vote more money this year than last year and the tax rate will not be affected by the special articles. Articles 1 through 13 are the same as appeared last year. Articles 17 through 21 deal with the purchase of needed equipment. We recommend that the purchases be lumped together and bonded over five years at approximately \$10,000 a year plus interest starting in 1972. The down payments will come from the money you vote to take out of the E & D account. These articles will complete our long range equipment planning for the next five years, with the exception of one small truck. Article 19, which is in this group of articles I have been talking about, will save the Town over \$5,000 a year in maintenance cost. Article 14, which is not in this group, is just a transfer of funds. Articles 15, 16 and 34 continue our long range planning for water and roads. You will notice we have cut out the usual \$10,000 for water, which last year and the year before came out of the tax rate. We have cut it out by using \$8,530 from available funds in our Treasury, so continued extension of our water mains won't cost the Town anything on our tax rate this year. We have reduced the \$10,000 we usually take out for roads in a like manner by the same means to \$6,500 by applying \$3,500 of available funds. We understand the Conservation Commission will move no action on Articles 35 and 36. The Mental Health Association under Article 24 asks for over \$2,400. This is up from about \$450 just a few years ago. We recommend the same amount as last year, \$1,250. Articles 25 through 33 and Articles 37 through 41 do not directly affect Town expenses. Those townspeople who are directly affected by these articles should submit their recommendations to the voters at this Town Meeting. We feel our advice on all these articles should be to listen to the recommendations and to vote the way you believe would be in the best interest of the Town as a whole. Article 22 is for a much-needed new gym floor at the Junior High School. We have been told that an adequate floor can be placed there for a cost of \$11,500 and we are recommending



that this be done this year. It really is a necessity. We also recommend Article 23 which refers to the Cutler School. This will eliminate a serious safety hazard at that school and the extension of the driveway can be done by our Highway Department for \$5,000. This will have no effect on the tax rate as we are spending \$2,000 less than we did last year at the Cutler School."

Moderator: "I shall read the appropriations recommended by the Finance and Advisory Committee. If anyone wishes to debate or question any item, he need simply to say 'Hold'. We will take up the items that have been held in order after the other items have been approved as a whole. If you wish to follow these items as I read them, they appear in your Town Report beginning on page 116.  
Finance and Advisory Committee

Finance and Advisory Committee		
Expenses	\$	35.00
Selectmen		
Salary of Chairman		1,500.00
Selectmen's Salaries		2,300.00
Expense		4,000.00
Clerk's Salary		1,492.00
Town Accountant		
Salary		9,084.00
Secretary		5,557.00
Expenses		1,200.00
Salary Reserve		735.00
Stenographer-Clerk		4,000.00
Treasurer		
Salary		3,804.00
Expense		750.00
Tax Collector		
Salary		3,984.00
Expense		1,750.00
Office Equipment		450.00
Assessors		
Salary of Chairman and Clerk		4,200.00
Assessors' Salaries		2,800.00
Expense		1,200.00
Wages - Part Time		3,000.00
Town Counsel		
Salary		2,475.00
Expense		750.00
Town Clerk		
Salary	HOLD	2,854.00
Expenses		2,150.00



Personnel Board	
Expenses	100.00
Planning Board	
Expenses	1,500.00
Appeal Board	
Salary - Chairman	500.00
Expenses	100.00
Election and Registration	
Registrars' Salaries	240.00
Expenses	4,000.00
Town Hall	
Salary	5,616.00
Expenses	3,500.00
Repairs	3,000.00
Salary Reserve	387.00
Police	
Salary of Chief	9,116.00
Expenses	7,200.00
Salaries - Reg. Officers	59,120.00
Salaries - Res. Officers	10,400.00
Salary Reserve	8,840.00
Uniforms by Requisition	1,200.00
Court Duty - Part Time	600.00
Fire	
Salary of Chief	1,183.00
Salary and Wages	7,000.00
Expenses	7,000.00
Police and Fire Station	
Maintenance	3,500.00
Former Fire Station	
Maintenance	750.00
Report Center	
Salary of Supervisor	6,032.00
Wages of Dispatchers	15,642.00
Expenses	4,500.00
Wages - Extra Help	2,000.00
Salary Reserve	1,143.00
Scaler of Weights and Measures	
Salary	250.00
Expense	200.00
Building Inspector	
Salary	1,644.00
Expenses	500.00

Electrical Inspector	
Salary .....	1,100.00
Expenses .....	350.00
Dog Officer	
Salary and Wages .....	900.00
Expenses .....	900.00
Animal Inspection	
Expense .....	140.00
Civilian Defense	
Expense .....	100.00
Conservation Commission	
Expense .....	1,000.00
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	
Salary .....	2,300.00
Expenses .....	150.00
Health	
Chairman .....	230.00
Salaries .....	120.00
Expenses .....	4,572.00
Street Lighting .....	18,000.00
Veterans Benefits	
Administration .....	5,651.00
Expenses .....	37,000.00
Libraries	
Librarian .....	7,182.00
Assistant Librarian .....	4,700.00
Clerk Wages .....	6,543.00
Sick and Vacation Provision .....	600.00
Custodian Salary .....	2,106.00
Expenses .....	8,048.00
Maintenance .....	3,400.00
Salary Reserve .....	1,098.00
Retirement Fund .....	41,715.00
Council on Aging	
Recreation Day Trips .....	500.00
Expenses .....	1,150.00
Youth Commission .....	1,500.00
Board of Public Works	
Public Works Commissioners .....	500.00
Salary of Superintendent .....	9,904.00
Salary - Clerk .....	4,720.00
Expenses .....	600.00
Salary Reserve .....	246.00

## Sanitation

Garbage Contract .....	20,000.00
Rubbish Contract .....	35,500.00
Dump Wages and Maintenance .....	HOLD 9,500.00

## Highways

Wages of Foreman .....	6,691.00
Wages and Overtime .....	43,476.00
Expenses .....	17,500.00
Sand and Road Oil .....	5,000.00
Snow Removal .....	20,000.00
Salary Reserve .....	2,964.00

## Recreation - Park

Salaries - Instructors and Clerk .....	HOLD 8,000.00
Wages .....	12,064.00
Expenses .....	8,000.00
Additional Labor .....	2,500.00
Salary Reserve .....	792.00

## Water

Wages .....	19,638.00
Overtime .....	2,500.00
Expenses .....	13,500.00
Salary Reserve .....	1,338.00

## Cemetery

Wages of Foreman .....	6,032.00
Clerk Salary .....	570.00
Wages and Overtime .....	2,000.00
Expenses .....	800.00
Salary Reserve .....	405.00

## Insect and Pest Control

Wages .....	2,900.00
Elms .....	900.00
Expenses .....	1,200.00

## Tree

Wages .....	3,200.00
Expenses .....	1,200.00
Planting Trees .....	1,000.00
Hired Equipment .....	250.00

## Hamilton Public Schools

Administration .....	28,350.00
Instruction .....	773,118.00
Other Services .....	74,570.00
Operation and Maintenance .....	97,690.00
Acq. of Assets .....	18,155.00

Prog. a/c Other Dist.	2,650.00
Fixed Charges	105.00
Total Education	\$994,638.00
Less Credit to Inst. of PL 874 and 864	5,500.00
Net Education	HOLD 989,138.00
Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District	
Total Operating Costs	637,149.00
Less Other Income	56,753.00
Net Local Operating Cost	580,396.00
Capital Payments	62,234.00
Total	642,630.00
Unclassified	
Town Reports	4,500.00
Memorial Day	1,200.00
Town Clock	400.00
Insurance	19,000.00
Reserve Fund	20,000.00
Group Insurance	22,000.00
Town Clock Repairs	1,200.00
Maturing Debt and Interest	
Maturing Debt	81,000.00
Interest	25,000.00

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That the various sums which the Finance and Advisory Committee recommends the Town appropriate, as they have just been read by the Moderator, excepting the items held, be approved and appropriated, and that the meeting proceed to the consideration of the items that were held."

Voice vote. Motion carried.

Moderator: "We will now proceed to consider the items that were held in the order in which they were held. The first item is the Town Clerk's salary of \$2,854."

In answer to why this salary had been increased by over 40%, Mr. Pilcher explained that the Town Clerk receives no overtime and at least 40 or 60 per cent more time is consumed in this job than there was for the small raises he has received in the past few years. He further stated that the Town Clerk is at the Town Hall many Saturdays and Sundays and they felt very strongly about the number of hours he puts in above the forty-hour work week.

Voice vote. Appropriation made.

Under the held item of Sanitation, Dump Wages and Maintenance, it was moved by Mr. Gordon L. Thompson and duly seconded: "That

consideration of this item be postponed until after the vote on Article 19." He explained that if Article 19 is not approved, \$15,000 will have to be added to the proposed amount in the budget.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

On the held item of Park Salaries, Mr. Thompson explained that the Board of Public Works felt the Park Program committee needed this additional money for more instructors and a director for this year's Program. He stated that in 1969, there were 190 children in the Park Program; in 1970, 550 children, and that they expect to have a bigger and better program this year.

Voice vote. Appropriation made.

On the held item of \$989,138 under Net Education, it was moved by Mr. Standish Bradford and duly seconded: "That there be a resolution of the sense of the meeting that the School Committee meet regularly with the Finance Committee and report at next year's Town Meeting with some justification of this sharp increase in costs." Mr. Bradford commented that in looking over previous Town Reports, since 1966 the budget of the School Committee has gone up 70% while the enrollment has gone up 7%. He indicated that this might be justified but that we ought to take a hard look at it.

Voice vote. Motion carried.

Further discussion from the floor.

The Moderator called for a voice vote on the appropriation of \$989,138 for Net Education and declared the appropriation made. Upon disagreement of his decision from the floor, he called for a hand vote and then declared the appropriation made.

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Article 6. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Construction, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. George Ricker and duly seconded: "That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,250 for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Moulton Street, Highland Street, Essex Street, and Bridge Street, to be expended for the Town's share of the work, and that available funds may be used to carry on the work until the Town is reimbursed for the State and County share of the work.

Voice vote. Motion carried.

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Article 7. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That the

Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance on various streets, to be expended as the Town's share of the work and that available funds may be used to carry on the work until the Town is reimbursed for the State share of the work."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 8. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time as provided by Section 4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, in the current year and the ensuing year and to issue notes and renewal notes therefor payable within one year, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Everett F. Haley and duly seconded: "That the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time as provided by Section 4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, in the current year and the ensuing year, and to issue notes and renewal notes therefor payable within one year."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 9. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to authorize the collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector may use, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. George Dawe and duly seconded: "That the Town authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 10. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Excess and Deficiency Account to the Stabilization Fund established pursuant to the Provisions of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Oliver Wolcott, Jr. and duly seconded: "That the Town transfer \$8,000 from the Excess and Deficiency Account to the Stabilization Fund established pursuant to the provisions of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 11. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Assessors to use available funds or 'free cash' in determining the tax rate for the year 1971, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."



Moved by Mr. Donald Phillips and duly seconded: "That the Town authorize and approve the Board of Assessors to use available funds or 'free cash' in the amount of \$91,000 in determining the tax rate for the year 1971."

Voice vote. Motion carried.

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Article 12. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new Cruiser-Ambulance for use of the Police Department, provide for the turning in of the present cruiser toward the purchase price thereof, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Lawrence R. Stone and duly seconded: "That the Town purchase a new Cruiser-Ambulance for use of the Police Department, turn in the present cruiser-ambulance toward the purchase price thereof, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500 for the balance of such price."

Voice vote. Motion carried.

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Article 13. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$1,372 in the State Aid to Libraries Account to the Library Expense Account to be used for Library purposes, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. J. Roy Wolfskill and duly seconded: "That the Town transfer \$1,372 in the State Aid to Libraries Account to the Library Expense Account to be used for Library Expenses."

Voice vote. Motion carried.

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Article 14. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$1,500 from the Cemetery Sale of Lots and Graves Fund to the Cemetery Account for improvements to the Town Cemetery, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. John T. Walke and duly seconded: "That the Town transfer the sum of \$1,500 from the Cemetery Sale of Lots and Graves Fund to the Cemetery Account for improvements to the Town Cemetery."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 15. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to transfer the balance of \$8,530 in the Sale of Land and Buildings Account to the Water Laying of Mains Account for the purpose of laying of water mains of not less than 6 inches in diameter but less than sixteen inches in diameter, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."



Moved by Mr. George Connolly and duly seconded: "That the Town transfer the balance of \$8,530 in the Sale of Land and Buildings Account to the Water Laying of Mains Account for the purpose of laying water mains of not less than 6 inches nor more than sixteen inches in diameter."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 16. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,500, and in addition (a) to transfer the unexpended balance of \$1,700, appropriated under Article 20 of the warrant for the 1967 annual town meeting for Assessors' maps and expert appraisal of taxable property within the Town (b) to transfer the unexpended balance of \$1,810.73 appropriated under Article 5 of the warrant for the 1968 annual town meeting for extension of water mains on Moulton Street, all for the purpose of the construction of bituminous macadam or other permanent pavement of various streets in the Town, said work to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Edmund Reinhalter and duly seconded: "That for the purpose of construction of bituminous, macadam or other permanent pavement of various streets in the Town, the work to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,500, and in addition, transfer (a) the unexpended balance of \$1,700 appropriated under Article 20 of the warrant for the 1967 annual town meeting for Assessors' maps and expert appraisal of taxable property, and (b) the unexpended balance of \$1,810.73 appropriated under Article 5 of the warrant for the 1968 annual town meeting for extension of water mains on Moulton Street."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 17. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a used Aerial Fire Ladder Truck for use of the Fire Department, provide for the sale of the present ladder truck, and raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Lawrence Lamson and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for the purchase of a used aerial fire ladder truck for use of the Fire Department, provide for the sale of the present ladder truck, and to meet such appropriation the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$1,000 and borrow for not more than five years the balance of such appropriation in the amount of \$9,000 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (9) of the General Laws."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Article 18. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new four wheel drive truck for the Park Department and provide for the turning in of the present Park Dept. Chevrolet truck toward the purchase price thereof, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Gordon Thompson and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,000 for the purchase of a new four-wheel drive truck for the Park Department and provide for the turning in of the present Park Department Chevrolet truck toward the purchase price thereof, and to meet such appropriation the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$400 and to borrow for not more than five years the balance of such appropriation in the amount of \$3,600 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (9) of the General Laws"

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 19. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new rubber-tired tractor with front end loader for use of the Department of Public Works, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$29,000 therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Gordon Thompson and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$29,000 for the purchase of a new rubber tired tractor with front end loader for use of the Department of Public Works and to meet such appropriation the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$2,900 and borrow for not more than five years the balance of such appropriation in the amount of \$26,100 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7(9) of the General Laws."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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On the held item of Sanitation, Dump Wages and Maintenance, it was moved by Mr. Gordon Thompson and duly seconded: "That the figure of \$9,500 remain the same."

Voice vote. Appropriation made.

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Article 20. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new truck chassis and cab for use of the Department of Public Works and provide for the turning in of the present Dodge chassis, cab and sanding machine toward the purchase price thereof, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,500 therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Gordon Thompson and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$6,500 for the purchase of a new truck chassis and cab for use of the Department of Public Works and provide for the turning in of the present Dodge chassis, cab and sanding machine toward the purchase price thereof, and to meet such appropriation the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$650 and borrow for not more than five years the balance of such appropriation in the amount of \$5,850 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7(9) of the General Laws."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 21. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to purchase a sidewalk snow plow for use of the Department of Public Works and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500 therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Gordon Thompson and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,500 for the purchase of a sidewalk snow plow for use of the Department of Public Works and to meet such appropriation the Town raise by taxation the sum of \$550 and borrow for not more than five years the balance of such appropriation in the amount of \$4,950 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7(9) of the General Laws."

After discussion from the floor, it was unanimously voted to close debate. The Moderator then called for a voice vote on the main motion which required a two-thirds vote for passage. A standing vote was necessary as the vote was not unanimous. Tellers appointed for the meeting were Mr. Robert Kenyon for the right side, Mr. John Walke for the left side, and Mr. George Dawe and Mr. Cornelius Murray for the center section.

Standing count by tellers:

Yes 393                      No - 31

The Moderator declared the motion carried.

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Article 22. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to replace the floor in the gymnasium at the Hamilton Junior High School, to let contracts, and for said purpose to appropriate the sum of \$15,000 therefor, and to determine the manner in which said appropriation is to be raised, whether by taxation or borrowing or transfer of available funds, or otherwise, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. James Campbell and duly seconded: "That the Town authorize the School Committee to make extraordinary repairs to the

Hamilton Junior High School by replacing the floor of the gymnasium, to let contracts therefor, and for such purpose to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,500."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 23. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to improve the driveway at the Cutler School and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. James Campbell and duly seconded: That the Town authorize the School Committee to improve the driveway at the Cutler School and for such purpose the sum of \$5,000 be appropriated."

Voice vote. Motion carried.

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Article 24. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to aid in providing cooperative or complementary facilities to out-patient clinics of Mental Health Association of the North Shore, Inc. of Salem, Massachusetts, together with the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health and other cities and towns, said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Board of Health, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Donald Phillips and duly seconded: "That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,250 to aid in providing cooperative or complementary facilities to out-patient clinics of Mental Health Association of the North Shore, Inc. of Salem, Massachusetts, together with the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health and other cities and towns, said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Board of Health."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 25. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public town way Patton Drive, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. Lawrence Stone and duly seconded: "That the Town accept as a public town way, Patton Drive, so-called, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk entitled 'Plan for Acceptance, Patton Drive, Hamilton, Mass., 30 April 1965, Entrance at Bay Road Revised 24 Dec. 1970, Raymond C. Pressey, Inc., Reg. Land Surveyors, Lynn."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Article 26. Moderator. "To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public town way, Gregory Island Road, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. George Ricker and duly seconded: "That no action be taken at this time." He explained that several property owners had not signed releases.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 27. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to accept a bequest of \$1,000 by Leon W. Bishop for the purchase of books for the Hamilton Public Library, and establish a fund to be entitled, 'Leon W. Bishop Library Fund,' the principal and interest to be available to the Library Trustees without appropriation by the Town for the purchase of books, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. J. Roy Wolfskill and duly seconded: "That the Town accept a bequest of \$1,000 by Leon W. Bishop for the purchase of books for the Hamilton Public Library and with such bequest the library trustees establish a fund to be entitled 'Leon W. Bishop Library Fund', the principal and interest of which is to be available to the trustees without appropriation by the Town for the purchase of books."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 28. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of members of the Historical Commission established under Article 22 of the Warrant for the 1969 Annual Town Meeting from three members to five members, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. George Ricker and duly seconded: "That the number of the members of the Historical Commission of the Town established under Article 22 of the Warrant for the 1969 annual town meeting be increased from three members to five members."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 29. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 8E of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, the acceptance of which by the Town will permit the establishment of a Youth Commission pursuant to the provisions of said Section, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. William MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That the Town accept the provisions of Section 8E of Chapter 40 of the General



Laws to permit the establishment of a Youth Commission in the Town pursuant to the provisions of said section.”

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 30. Moderator: “To see if the Town will vote to establish a Youth Commission pursuant to G.L. Chapter 40, Section 8E, for the purpose of carrying out programs to meet the opportunities, challenges and problems of youth, consisting of seven (7) members to be appointed by the Selectmen, one-third of which shall be initially for a term of one year, one-third for a term of two years, and one-third for a term of three years, and their successors shall be appointed for a term of three years each, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.”

Moved by Mr. William MacKenzie and duly seconded: “That the Town establish a Youth Commission pursuant to Chapter 40, Section 8E of the General Laws for the purpose of carrying out programs to meet the opportunities, challenges and problems of youth, such Commission to consist of seven members to be appointed by the Selectmen, two of which shall be initially for a term of one year, two of which shall be for a term of two years, and three of which shall be for a term of three years, and their successors shall be appointed by the Selectmen from time to time for terms of three years each.”

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 31. Moderator: “To see if the Town will vote to create a special unpaid committee to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee, to consist of three members, including one member of the School Committee, to be appointed by the Moderator in accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended; said committee to consider recommendation of a Regional Vocational School or schools as authorized by Section 14B of said Chapter; and that there be appropriated for the use of said committee the sum of \$250, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.”

Moved by Mr. James Campbell and duly seconded: “That the Town create a special unpaid committee to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee, to consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator, one of whom shall be a member of the School Committee, in accordance with the provisions of Section 14, Chapter 71 of the General Laws, said Committee to consider recommendations to the Town of a Regional Vocational School or Schools as authorized by Section 14B of said Chapter 71, and that \$250 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Article 32. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to amend the Electrical By-law of the Town by striking out Article 5 and inserting in place thereof the following:

### ARTICLE 5. FEES

The following Fees shall be collected before an electrical permit is issued:

New Construction or Additions where a building permit is required: \$2.00 per thousand of building cost.

Alterations of Existing Structures:

25 Outlets or less	\$2.00
Each Additional 25 Outlets	\$2.00
220 Volt Outlet (Dryer, Range, Water Heater)	\$3.00
Oil Burners	\$2.00
Swimming Pools	\$5.00
Permits for any Electrical Installation for which no fees is herein prescribed, a minimum charge of	\$2.00

Moved by Mr. Lawrence Stone and duly seconded: "That the Town amend the Electrical By-law of the Town by striking out Article 5 of said By-law in its entirety and inserting in place thereof a new Article 5 as set forth in Article 32 of the Warrant for this meeting."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 33. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$500 for use of the Planning Board in the preparation of a comprehensive study of local housing needs and housing facilities, the availability of suitable sites and an analysis of state and federal assistance programs, the Planning Board to report thereon at the Annual Town Meeting for 1972, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. George C. Cutler and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$100 for use of the Planning Board in the preparation of a comprehensive study of local housing needs and housing facilities, the availability of suitable sites and an analysis of state and federal assistance programs, the Planning Board to report thereon at the annual town meeting for 1972."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 34. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$1,000 for the Department of Public Works to make a study of the future needs for water in the Town and of available supplies therefor, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto."



Moved by Mr. George C. Cutler and duly seconded: "That the Town appropriate the sum of \$500 for the Department of Public Works to make a study of future needs for water in the Town and of the available supplies thereof."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 35. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to pay for the cost of appraising a parcel of land said to belong to Messrs. Piper and Quinn and to contain 21 acres more or less on Essex Street in East Hamilton, being land to the east, west and south of a one-acre lot with house thereon numbered 428 Essex Street, such appraisal to be used in connection with consideration of the acquisition of said land for Town purposes, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. William F. McKenzie and duly seconded: "That no action be taken on this article."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 36. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$40,000 for the acquisition by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, for recreation purposes, of certain land off Highland Street, being a portion of what was formerly known as the Day Farm, and consisting of Lots 19-31, as shown on a Plan of Frank C. Hancock, dated August 7, 1969, a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, together with an adequate right of way from Highland Street to said land, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto."

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That no action be taken on this article."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 37. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Hamilton as follows:

Amend Section II. Establishment of Districts of the Zoning By-law of the Town of Hamilton by adding the following sentence at the end of Section IIA:

"A Conservancy District is hereby established in the area of the Town shown on the Zoning Map - Conservancy District dated February 1, 1971, filed with the Town Clerk and hereby made a part of this By-law, such conservancy areas being designated "C" on said map.

Amend Section V. Use Regulations of the Zoning By-law by adding a new Paragraph "C" - Conservancy District to read as follows:

- C. "C" Conservancy District is intended for the preservation and maintenance of the ground water table upon which the inhabitants depend for water supply; to protect the public health and safety, persons and property against the hazards of flood water inundation; for the protection of the community against the costs which may be incurred when unsuitable development occurs in swamps, marshes, along watercourses, or in areas subject to floods; to preserve and increase the amenities of the Town; and to conserve natural conditions, wild life, and open spaces for the education, recreation and general welfare of the public.

Permitted Uses:

1. Conservation of water, plants, wild life and ponds;
2. Recreation, including play areas, nature study, tennis, golf, skating, boating, fishing, horseback riding and hunting where otherwise legally permitted;
3. Grazing and Farming, including truck gardening and harvesting of crops;
4. Forestry;
5. Subject to Special Permit by the Board of Appeals under specified conditions as provided for in Section IX-D below.
  - a. Non-residential buildings and structures, such as:
    - 1) Barns, stables, or kennels for shelter, breeding, boarding, hiring or sale of animals, and for storage of crops raised on the premises.
    - 2) Boat-houses, duck-walks and landings;
    - 3) Stands for sale of produce raised on the premises; Provided that any such building or structure permitted by the Board of Appeals shall be designed, placed and constructed to offer minimum obstruction to the flow of water and shall be firmly anchored to prevent floating away and thus threatening other buildings or blocking of openings in restricted sections of the watercourse below.
  - b. Dams, changes in watercourses, or drainage works, — only as part of an over-all drainage basin plan.
  - c. Driveway or road, provided that the Board of Appeals is satisfied that there will be adequate drainage and that such driveway or road will not interfere adversely with the natural flow of water in the area or with the general purposes for which Conservancy Districts are established.

Except as provided above, there shall be, in the Conservancy District:

No land fill or dumping in any part of the District;

No building or structure;

No permanent storage of materials or equipment.

If any land shown on the Zoning Map as being in the Conservancy District is proven to the satisfaction of the Board of Appeals, after reference of the proof to and report by the Planning Board and Board of Health, as being in fact not subject to flooding or not unsuitable because of drainage conditions for residential use, and that the use of such land for residence will not interfere with the general purposes for which Conservancy Districts have been established, and will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, the Board of Appeals may permit the use of such land for single family residence under all the provisions of this by-law applying to the Residence District in which said land lies.

If for any reason the restrictions or requirements contained in this Section C shall be or become invalid as to any land shown on the Zoning Map as being in the Conservancy District then such land shall thereafter be subject to the regulation for the district in which the land lies."

Moved by Mr. George C. Cutler and duly seconded: "That the Town amend the Zoning By-law of the Town of Hamilton as follows: Amend Section II. Establishment of Districts of the Zoning By-law of the Town of Hamilton by adding the following sentence at the end of Section II A:

"A Conservancy District is hereby established in the area of the Town shown on the Zoning Map - Conservancy District dated February 1, 1971, filed with the Town Clerk and hereby made a part of this by-law, such conservancy areas being designated 'C' on said map. Amend Section V. Use Regulations of the Zoning By-law by adding a new Paragraph 'C' - Conservancy District to read as set forth in Article 37 of the Warrant for this meeting."

Mr. Cutler stated that this By-law would prevent building on wetlands and would conserve the water supply of the Town. A lengthy discussion followed concerning the legality of the By-law and the advisability of giving more time to the people who own land along the Miles River to consider the proposal and decide what they want to do.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was voted to close debate.

The Moderator called for a standing vote on the main motion.

Standing vote by tellers:

Yes - 294

No - 70

The Moderator declared the motion carried by more than a two-thirds vote.

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Article 38. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to establish a Conservancy District from the Wenham line to the Ipswich line along the

Miles River and its flood plain up to the 40' contour line above mean high water, and that the Zoning By-law be amended by adding to Section V thereof a new paragraph entitled, 'C' Conservancy District to be worded as proposed in Article 37 of the Warrant for this Annual Town Meeting."

Moved by Mr. Frederic Winthrop and duly seconded: "That no action be taken on this article."

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 39. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws by inserting the following:

It will be necessary to have a two-thirds majority of the voters of the Town of Hamilton to allow any multiple family type housing such as garden apartments, condominium apartments or dormitory facilities, whether it be constructed on land or property now used or formerly used for such proposed facilities, or on land proposed for this type of housing in the future.

or take any other action thereon or relative thereto. As petitioned for by Richard P. Costello and others."

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That no action be taken on this article." Mr. MacKenzie stated this motion was made at the request of Mr. Costello because of the question of the legality of the article.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

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Article 40. Moderator: "To see if the Town will vote to grant permission to the Disabled American Veterans - Department of Massachusetts and the General George S. Patton, Jr. Chapter #58, D.A.V. of Hamilton to erect a statue and suitable memorial in tribute and in honor of General George S. Patton, Jr., late of Hamilton, in Patton Park, as a reminder to future generations of Young Americans, of the life-time dedication to country made by this noble American, at no expense to the Town; or take any other action thereon or relative thereto. As petitioned for by Robert C. Hagopian and others."

Moved by Mr. Henry Hovanasian and duly seconded: "That the Town grant permission to the Disabled American Veterans - Department of Massachusetts and the General George S. Patton, Jr., Chapter #58, D.A.V. of Hamilton to erect a statue and suitable memorial in tribute and in honor of the late General George S. Patton, Jr., in Patton Park, as a reminder to future generations of Americans of his love and dedication to community and country, at no expense to the Town, subject to the approval as to the size and location by the Board of Selectmen and the Department of Public Works."

Moved by Mr. William F. MacKenzie and duly seconded: "That

this article be indefinitely postponed.” He stated that he regretted doing this but it was the wish of Mrs. Beatrice Totten, daughter of the late General Patton.

After further discussion, it was unanimously voted to close debate.

The Moderator called for a vote on the immediately pending question which was the motion of Mr. MacKenzie to postpone consideration of the article.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Article 41. Moderator: “To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws by inserting the following:

“No contract in the amount of \$10,000 or more with a contractor employing six or more persons, shall be entered into by the Town directly or through any agency of the Town unless the contractor certifies in writing to the Town that the contractor is in compliance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 151B, and sets forth affirmative action which the contractor provides for equal employment opportunities for all qualified persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin.”  
As petitioned for by Theodore R. Timbie and others.”

Moved by Mr. Theodore R. Timbie and duly seconded: “That the Town amend the Town By-laws by inserting as Section 3 of Chapter VII the following:

“No contract in the amount of \$10,000 or more with a contractor employing six or more persons, shall be entered into by the Town directly or through any agency of the Town unless the contractor certifies in writing to the Town that the contractor is in compliance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 151B, and sets forth affirmative action which the contractor provides for equal employment opportunities for all qualified persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin.”

Mr. MacKenzie stated that the Board of Selectmen endorse the article and asked that the voters support it. Mrs. Betty Leistinger, President of the Hamilton-Wenham League of Women Voters, also spoke in favor of the article.

It was moved by Mr. Philip Bom and duly seconded: “That the words ‘or labor union’ be added at the end of the article.” He felt this would give more rights to black workers who have been denied membership in some labor unions. After further discussion from the floor, Mr. Bom withdrew his motion as it was felt that the purpose of his amendment was taken care of by the wording of the article.

The Moderator then called for a vote on Mr. Timbie’s motion.

Voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.



Article 42. Moderator: "To act on any other matter that may legally come before said meeting."

Upon motion of Mr. William F. MacKenzie, duly seconded, the Moderator declared the meeting adjourned at 11:15 p.m. until 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 9, 1971 at the Jr. High School auditorium when balloting under Article 1 shall take place.

### Vote on Article 1.

The polls were opened at 8:00 a.m., March 9, 1971, by the Moderator, Paul F. Perkins, Jr. There were 1692 votes cast under Article 1.

Voted in Person	1664
Absentee Votes	28

### MODERATOR - One Year

Paul F. Perkins, Jr.	1536	Blanks	156
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### TOWN CLERK - One Year

Francis H. Whipple	1597	Blanks	94
George Gerrard	1		

### SELECTMAN - Three Years

Lawrence R. Stone	881	Richard F. Hartnett	206
Donald W. Beattie	478	Blanks	38
Robert C. Hagopian	89		

### TREASURER - One Year

Everett F. Haley	1535	Blanks	156
George Gerrard	1		

### TAX COLLECTOR - One Year

George F. Dawe	1518	Blanks	173
George Gerrard	1		

### ASSESSOR - Three Years

Robert H. Chittick	1530	Blanks	161
George Gerrard	1		

### BOARD OF HEALTH - Three Years

Lawrence W. Ashton	576	Richard T. Wright	531
Thomas Silke	365	Blanks	220



## BOARD OF HEALTH - One Year

Ernest A. Dale	534	Blanks	219
Edward R. Roaf	939		

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Two for Three Years

Robert E. King	1324	Lloyd T. Leech	233
Harold D. Moses	1409	Blanks	418

HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL  
SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE - Three Years

Richard S. Herndon	1448	Blanks	243
George Gerrard	1		

## LIBRARY TRUSTEE - Three Years

Carolyn W. Lander	1496	Blanks	195
George Gerrard	1		

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS - Three Years

Theodore W. Maione	1485	Blanks	206
George Gerrard	1		

## PLANNING BOARD - Five Years

W. Whitney Lundgren	1456	Blanks	235
George Gerrard	1		

## PLANNING BOARD - One Year

Russell E. Meade	1420	Blanks	271
George Gerrard	1		

## HOUSING AUTHORITY - Five Years

Clifford R. Benzel	1203	Blanks	229
Henry Hovanasian	260		

HOUSING AUTHORITY - One Year  
(To fill vacancy)

Joseph B. Hughes	1396	Blanks	295
George Gerrard	1		

The polls were closed at 8:00 p.m. and the Moderator announced the results of the voting and declared the meeting adjourned at 11:10 p.m.

Attest:

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE  
Town Clerk

## RECORDINGS AND LICENSES ISSUED

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### 1971 BIRTHS RECORDED

Male .....	34
Female .....	30
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	64

### 1971 MARRIAGES RECORDED

Residents (one or both parties) .....	66
Non-Residents (both parties) .....	9
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	75

### 1971 DEATHS RECORDED

Residents .....	37
Non-Residents .....	none
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	37

### 1971 SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED

Fishing .....	99
Hunting .....	85
Sporting .....	57
Minor Fishing .....	24
Female Fishing .....	18
Alien Fishing .....	none
Non-Resident Fishing .....	4
Non-Resident Hunting .....	2
Archery Stamps .....	none
Resident Military .....	13
Resident Citizen Sporting (Over 70, Free) .....	15
Trapping .....	1
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	318

### 1971 DOG LICENSES ISSUED

Male .....	427
Female .....	85
Spayed Female .....	278
\$10 Kennel .....	3
\$25 Kennel .....	4
\$50 Kennel .....	1
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	798

## 1971 BIRTHS RECORDED

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Angelo, Rachel Marie, Daughter of Robert M. and Diane J.  
 Baker, Kevin Gary, Son of Gary G. and Barbara F.  
 Barker, Cybo Aaron, Son of William E. and Phyllis P.  
 Barnard, Timothy Bryant, Son of Bryant and Doris B.  
 Barton, Mark Alan, Son of Gail L. and Sandra  
 Benoit, Michelle Marguerite, Daughter of George E. and Katharine V.  
 Boylan, Michael Adam, Son of John H. and Hortense L.  
 Bui, Marie Merrill Bui Thi Phuong An, Daughter of Chi D. and Diana D.  
 Butler, Thomas Mauran, Son of Frederick B. and Jane  
 Camp, Douglas Benjamin, Son of Russell R. and Norma M.  
 Caswell, Matthew Paul, Son of Paul E. and Louise H.  
 Chenard, Nicole Janine, Daughter of Thomas L. and Phyllis E.  
 Cochrane, Jeffrey Richard, Son of Richard H. and Lee W.  
 Connolly, Denise Rachelle, Daughter of George H. and Natalie  
 Cullen, Joan Mary, Daughter of Walter D. and Anne M.  
 Durkee, Scott Richard, Son of Thomas R. and Patricia A.  
 Egmont, Alexander Edward, Son of Westy A. and Kathy A.  
 Feener, Wayne Kenneth, Son of Wayne K. and Nancy E.  
 Goddard, Nicole, Daughter of Robert W. and Priscilla  
 Gourdeau, Jule Ann, Daughter of Richard R. and Constance S.  
 Grandmaison, Gerald Joseph III, Son of Gerald J. and Patricia M.  
 Hamilton, Joseph Kenneth, Son of Kenneth J. and Brenda L.  
 Hammond, Brooke Lael, Daughter of Craig and Margot J.  
 Hantson, Daniel Scott, Son of John R. and Edith L.  
 Hatt, Stephen Winfield, Son of Arthur M. and Charlotte L.  
 Hayes, Sarah Elizabeth, Daughter of Richard S. and Karyl J.  
 Heath, Michael Wilder, Son of Anthony E. and Donna L.  
 Hoggard, Melanie Lyn, Daughter of Stephen H. and Susan J.  
 Hurley, Matthew Paul, Son of Laurence J. and Nancy E.  
 Jacklin, Eric William, Son of Harold G. and Deborah A.  
 Kaliveas, Jason Edward, Son of Theodore N. and Wendy A.  
 Kinney, Janna Lee, Daughter of Sherman A. and Donna R.  
 Kirk, Heather Joy, Daughter of George A. and Betty L.  
 Knowlton, Kristina Jo, Daughter of Bruce A. and Linda J.  
 Ledwith, Rebecca Lynne, Daughter of Robert D. and Carole J.  
 Mahoney, Brenden Sean, Son of Paul D. and Kathleen J.  
 Marrah, Kimberly Denise, Daughter of Edwin K. and Patricia A.  
 Mason, Mignon Alexandra, Daughter of John D. and Sharon L.  
 McGee, Maureen Susan, Daughter of John T. and Virginia  
 McMullen, Ian Robert, Son of John R. and Michele A.  
 Meloni, Alison Rebecca, Daughter of Edward G. and Mary Lou L.  
 Naugle, Elizabeth Marie, Daughter of John S. and Penny S.  
 Needham, George Lochhart, Jr., Son of George L. and Alice P.  
 Nelson, Sarah Marie, Daughter of Edwin S. and Linda L.  
 Nolan, Michael Sean, Son of Leonard F. and Janet

Parrelli, Maria Louise, Daughter of Benjamin F. and Elizabeth A.  
 Pray, Julie Dianne, Daughter of Robert M. and Jeanne M.  
 Rice, Jonathan Scott, Son of Alan W. and Martha A.  
 Richards, Kent John, Son of James J. and Shireen G.  
 Riley, Richard William, Son of Norman A. and Gloria J.  
 Roberts, Mark Wentworth, Son of Dean E. and Joan D.  
 Robertson, Noah Heaton, Son of Abram H. and Nancy  
 Sandmann, Karl Frederick, Son of David W. and Janice E.  
 Sheppard, Jeremy Austin, Son of Larry E. and Laurie J.  
 Silvester, Christine, Daughter of Theodore and Paulette  
 Stelling, Dana Paul, Son of Henry J. and Linda A.  
 Stelline, Pamela Ann, Daughter of Paul A. and Debra L.  
 Steward, William Livingston, Son of Charles A. and Patricia M.  
 Sullivan, Sean Michael, Son of John E. and Katherine E.  
 Tower, Tammy Christine, Daughter of Gerald G. and Darlene M.  
 Underwood, Rachel Virginia, Daughter of Terrence L. and Linda M.  
 Usherwood, Monica Renee, Daughter of Ridley N. and Beverly S.  
 Wareham, Anne Miller, Daughter of Robert L. and Sara L.  
 Wolcott, Jessica Lamb, Daughter of William P. and Sandra C.

Note: The above records received prior to January 15, 1972. Any records received after this date will be recorded with the vital records of the Town, as well as all others.

## 1971 MARRIAGES RECORDED

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George D. Aldrich of Manchester  
Lucy T. (Aldrich) Devens of South Norwalk, Conn.

John Leslie Berry of Hamilton  
Patricia Lee Clarke of Wenham

Robert John Bowen of Salem  
Dianna Elizabeth Moore of Hamilton

Frank L. Breton, Jr. of Hamilton  
Catharine C. Peterson of Boxford

Revere W. Brooks of Hamilton  
Marie E. (Chupik) Ceremsak of Hamilton

Stevan Michael Brown of Wenham  
Jane Eileen Martel of Hamilton

William P. Bucci, Jr. of Danvers  
Catherine M. O'Connor of Hamilton

John Michael Buckley of Hamilton  
Patricia (Rogowski) Lennox of Norwood

Kenneth Arthur Butterworth of Wenham  
Donna Joyce Bianco of Hamilton

William Arthur Caldwell, Jr. of Hamilton  
Verna Harriet Wykes of Beverly

Colin S. Campbell of New London, N. H.  
Edith K. Meyer of Hamilton

Roger Gustave Carlson of Hamilton  
Heather Jean Kerr of Hamilton

Jeffrey S. Carney of Hamilton  
Kathleen Curtis of Ipswich

Mark E. Chase of Dennisport  
C. Susan Newborg of Hamilton

Kenneth Richard Copeland of Arlington  
Donna Rae LeBrun of Peabody

Richard W. Courtney of Danvers  
Carol Jane Livingston of Hamilton

Paul Edward Curis of Lincolnton, N. C.  
Mellinda Catherine Miles of Hamilton

Richard Ernest Damato of Wenham  
 Pamela Jean Smith of Hamilton

David F. Darling of Scarborough, Maine  
 Donna T. Upjohn of Scarborough, Maine

Ralph M. DeAngelis of Hamilton  
 Janice E. McCulley of Lynn

Richard Stephen DeAngelis of Hamilton  
 Christine Ellen Howe of Salem

William Eggleston of Hamilton  
 Evelyn Fanibel Symonds of Natick

Brian Michael Fitzgerald of Manchester  
 Ida Marie Scola of Gloucester

Edward F. Ford, Jr. of Hamilton  
 Dorothy Alice Houle of Marblehead

Lawrence C. Foster of Hamilton  
 Thelma (Bailey) Carey of Ipswich

Irvin Gary Fox of Revere  
 Susan Cook of Hamilton

Dana Robert Fredriksen of Hamilton  
 Maureen Elizabeth Bryant of Beverly

James S. Gorski of Hamilton  
 Paulette Pesce of Hamilton

Floyd B. Grace of Hamilton  
 Elizabeth L. Romaine of Manchester

Stephen Hollis Hamill of Hamilton  
 Sharon Marlene Trust of Middletown, R. I.

Kenneth Joseph Hamilton of Hamilton  
 Brenda Lee Keech of Hamilton

George Wayland Hawkes of Westbrook, Maine  
 Joan Margaret Flanders of Hamilton

David R. Henderson of Gladwyne, Pa.  
 Cassandra F. Hyland of Hamilton

Roger Allan Hollar of Milford, Indiana  
 Sallyann O'Leary of Salem

Edward B. Hopping of Hamilton  
 Judith (Mountain) Muise of Hamilton

Edmund B. Kaminsky, Jr. of Hamilton  
 Lynn E. Perreault of South Hampton, N. H.



Julian Joan Kaszuba, Jr. of Ipswich  
 Marcia Elaine Corliss of Hamilton

Michael K. King of Beverly  
 Beatrice Laura Dodge of Hamilton

Robert Edward Koloski of Hamilton  
 Cynthia Jeanne Carnevale of Beverly

Thaddeus Kulik of Hamilton  
 Dixie Garfield of Salem

Ronald C. Lavallee of Beverly  
 Sharon Jane Fillinger of Hamilton

John Kevin Lawton of Hamilton  
 Deborah Lyn Soucy of Wenham

Robert Morrison Leavitt of Laconia, N. H.  
 Patricia Anne Ryan of Hamilton

Donald C. Liporto of Hamilton  
 Carol Ann Johnston of Beverly Farms

Richard F. Little of Hamilton  
 Debra P. Bezanson of Danvers

Henry James Lowe of Hamilton  
 Lucretia Winslow Mann of Hamilton

John Merbourne Lucas, Jr. of Oceanside, N. Y.  
 Cynthia MacGregor of Hamilton

Kenneth Henry Lyman of Peabody  
 Betty Jean (Ottaway) Blackwell of Beverly

Robert Bruce MacLeod of Gloucester  
 Judith (Moore) Fossiano of Hamilton

Robert B. Maguire, Jr. of Salem  
 Donna Marie Breton of Hamilton

Michael A. Maione of Hamilton  
 Joan M. Linnehan of Hamilton

William Paul McDowell of Havertown, Pa.  
 Doris Jean Kalland of Hamilton

Hugh Robert McLernon of Hamilton  
 Nancy Jane Pszenny of Salem

Roger N. Miller of Peabody  
 Doris M. Crosby of Hamilton

Thomas J. Moore of Beverly  
 Patricia A. Gauthier of Hamilton

Larry David Pelletier of Hamilton  
Joyce Winifred Hartwell of Lakewood, Calif.

Guido R. Piacentini of Manchester  
Elsie S. (McKay) Pendleton of Manchester

Alfred T. Poirier of Hamilton  
Elena D. Pelletier of Beverly

James J. Politis of Newburyport  
Nancy K. Andrews of Hamilton

Richard Puliafico of Somerville  
Elizabeth Ann Perrier of Hamilton

Mark W. Rand of Hamilton  
Jane R. (Henderson) Frey of Ipswich

Christian S. Rasmussen of North Reading  
Elaine M. Guilford of Hamilton

Robert Douglas Robertson of Hamilton  
Hope Andrews of Topsfield

Peter Wayne St. Peter of Rowley  
Geraldine LaRue Walls of Hamilton

Mark David Scott of Stratford, Conn.  
Judith A. Curtis of Hamilton

Donald A. Silva of Hamilton  
Karen L. Rousseau of Lynn

Edwin P. Smalley of Hamilton  
Sonja (Moe) Beale of Winthrop

Herbert Kerner Smith, Jr. of Marblehead  
Patricia Ann Grano of Newton

Charles H. Spaulding of Topsfield  
Eva M. (Moulton) Hopping of Hamilton

Gary Waguespack of Metairie, La.  
Cheryl Ann Budden of Greenville, Me.

Gerard F. Wallace of Beverly Farms  
Linda E. Brine of Hamilton

Richard T. Walsh of Hamilton  
Patricia M. Warren of Hamilton

Thomas H. Wetson, Jr. of Hamilton  
Karen Singelais of South Boston

Thomas Joseph Williams of Salem  
Lee MacWilliams of Hamilton

Jon D. Wilson of Essex  
Louella K. Pellerin of Hamilton

## 1971 DEATHS RECORDED

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Name	Years	Months	Days
Rachel M. Angelo .....	—	3	—
Soteros Apostolakos .....	78	—	—
Henry F. Armstrong, Jr. ....	67	9	11
Margaret I. Brunet (Jones) .....	29	—	12
Eleanor Campbell (Swaine) .....	56	5	17
Jeanne Clow (Moulinier) .....	75	—	6
Charles Nansen Conklin .....	71	6	9
Alida Dudley (Perron) .....	86	8	1
Joseph Francis Duest .....	58	—	18
Thomas Bertram Dyer .....	74	6	6
Patricia M. Eib (Bell) .....	24	2	20
George V. Freeman, Jr. ....	21	9	—
Frederick R. Hammond .....	70	4	27
Sarah E. Hayes .....	—	—	2
Louise G. Hooper .....	56	4	18
Harriett E. Jones (Thurston) .....	74	6	1
Gertrude C. Knight (Taylor) .....	59	11	26
Dorothy J. Lonngren (Galton) .....	64	4	10
Hilda May Manthorn .....	75	2	22
Quincy Adams Shaw McKean .....	79	9	26
Grover Cleveland Morris .....	84	9	10
George Morrow .....	62	1	4
Helen M. Morse (McCarthy) .....	53	1	3
Margaret J. Murphy .....	74	—	—
Hattie Parks (Green) .....	74	11	25
Jack B. Pierce .....	58	5	23
Edgar Ray Pitman .....	82	10	4
George B. Potter .....	90	11	—
Margaret Riddle (Peach) .....	89	9	24
Richard Thomas Robinson .....	56	11	3
Lena E. St. Germain (Dutille) .....	77	7	14
Rachel J. Sands (Johnson) .....	93	9	15
Henrietta Shinn .....	73	8	2
William J. Stanton .....	42	11	7
Theodore J. Surman .....	62	—	—
Irving W. Thulin .....	90	3	7
Rosamond L. Vaughan .....	58	—	7

**TOWN OF HAMILTON****JURY LIST FOR 1972**

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Agganis, Philip, 9 Crescent Road  
Allen, Gordon H., Jr., 130 Bridge St.  
Amnott, Ailene E., 110 Forest St.  
Barney, George H., 58 Bridge St.  
Bartlett, Patricia A., 350 Essex St.  
Berry, Roland P., 9 Arlington St.  
Brine, Clifford I., 63 Rock Maple Ave.  
Browning, John F., 251 Bridge St.  
Burner, Weston J., 274 Linden St.  
Burnham, Phillip J., 19 Arthur Ave.  
Burns, John T., 4 Kennedy Rd.  
Cameron, Irene, 100 Homestead Circle  
Crew, Truman W., 122 Linden St.  
Carlman, Harold L., Jr., 28 Pine St.  
Carney, William J., 699 Bay Road  
Caron, John C., 5 Moynihan Road  
Ceremsak, Richard J., 26 Blueberry Lane  
Chagnon, Paul L., 260 Asbury St.  
Ciara, E. Paula, 5 Greenbrook Road  
Clark, Harry F., 19 Mill St.  
Clark, William F., 62 Rust St.  
Cockrane, Richard H., 74 Lincoln Ave.  
Corning, William R., 394 Essex St.  
Cortucci, Gloria M., 277 Linden St.  
Crosbie, Arthur H., Jr., 14 Donald Road  
Culbert, Kent P., 29 Bridge St.  
Curry, Richard F., 33 Crescent Road  
Darrin, Edward C., 721 Bay Road  
Dawe, George F., 12 Rock Maple Ave.  
DeAngelis, James L., 141 Lake Drive  
DeAngelis, Michael L., 76 Pine Tree Drive  
Denman, Bryan F., 90 Gardner St.  
DeVita, Raymond A., 23 Homestead Circle  
Dixon, George W., 50 Sharon Road  
Doucette, Louise L., 957 Bay Road  
Doyle, Harold E., 10 Bridge St.  
Edmundson, Alfred, 175 Willow St.  
Flumerfelt, William L., 59 Greenbrook Road  
Freeman, George V., 115 Linden St.  
Gangloff, Mary B., 685 Bay Road  
Gerard, George J., 283 Asbury St.  
Gersbach, Jacqueline, 21 Crescent Road

Gesmundo, Paul M., 1 Kennedy Road  
 Griffin, Robert B., 18 Alan Road  
 Griffin, Robert M., 4 Sunset Lane  
 Guilford, Chester H., 233 Essex St.  
 Haley, Everett, 44 Moulton St.  
 Hamilton, Robert V., 136 Highland St.  
 Hammond, Norman E., 5 Donald Road  
 Healy, Donald E., 127 Forest St.  
 Holder, Charles H., 18 Chestnut St.  
 Homer, Stephen P., 563 Bay Road  
 Houlden, Robert C., 31 Leigh Road  
 Jacklin, Harold C., Jr., 363 Cutler Road  
 Jackson, Doradel Y., 37 Old Cart Road  
 James, Robert E., 13 Old Cart Road  
 Jenkins, Vivianne E., 3 Arthur Ave.  
 King, Robert E., 33 Norman Road  
 LaChance, Leonard J., 45 Greenbrook Road  
 Lalikos, Stephen M., 289 Highland St.  
 Lamson, Dorothy, 45 Fox Run Road  
 Leach, Roy F., 78 Gardner St.  
 Liberti, William A., 17 Margaret Road  
 Linnehan, Francis X., 54 Homestead Circle  
 Lundgren, W. Whitney, 19 Norman Road  
 MacGregor, Harry R., 27 Union St.  
 MacLaren, Doris P., 128 Meyer Road  
 Mann, Virginia D., 494 Essex St.  
 Mansfield, Walter J., 295 Asbury St.  
 Marchant, Wilbur C., 41 Garfield Ave.  
 Markey, John W., 10 Cunningham Drive  
 Marks, Paul D., 193 Linden St.  
 Marron, Mary S., 44 Homestead Circle  
 Martel, Raymond R., 12 Lois St.  
 Mattern, Chester D., 24 Chestnut St.  
 McCann, William L., 15 Essex St.  
 Miller, James W., 34 Blueberry Lane  
 Mood, Kenneth, 3 Homestead Circle  
 Mortimer, Eileen, 11 Highland St.  
 Moseley, Frederick S., 3rd, 38 Gardner St.  
 Murray, Katherine, 17 Hamilton Ave.  
 Nagle, Florice F., 55 Fox Run Road  
 Newborg, Edward P., 1 Paddock Lane  
 O'Hara, Francis A., 30 Orchard Road  
 Ottaway, Robert W., 97 Greenbrook Road  
 Peterson, Edward F., 6 Old Cart Road  
 Pierce, Lewis K., 22 Lincoln Ave.  
 Pisani, Betty J., 87 Cutler Road  
 Poole, Charles F., 56 Moynihan Road  
 Porter-Shirley, Charles W., 263 Linden St.  
 Potter, G. Glenn, 968 Bay Road  
 Poyner, Phyllis E., 118 Asbury St.

Pulsifer, Edward B., 22 Maple St.  
 Quinn, Anita M., 683 Bay Road  
 Reinhalter, Edmund J., 85 Linden St.  
 Ricker, Shirley K., 209 Highland St.  
 Rowland, Edward S., 230 Asbury St.  
 Sanford, Ray M., Jr., 82 Post Gate Road  
 Saint Germain, Roy A., 32 Day Ave.  
 Scott, Eldon S., Blackbrook Road  
 Shea, Joseph P., 300 Essex St.  
 Sheppard, Robert W., 425 Asbury St.  
 Smith, Elmer H., 150 Gardner St.  
 Snow, Crocker, Jr., 180 Bridge St.  
 Sollows, Clyde R., Jr., 43 Bridge St.  
 Spaulding, Ruth H., 175 Cutler Road  
 Spears, Howard C. K., 47 Post Gate Road  
 Stacey, Ernest F., 480 Asbury St.  
 Steward, Charles A., 13 Essex St.  
 Stockford, Virginia, 8 Greenbrook Road  
 Stone, Lawrence R., 102 Asbury St.  
 Swanson, Carl V., 5A Carriage Lane  
 Taylor, Phillip I., 75 Hamilton Ave.  
 Taylor, Roger, 114 Asbury St.  
 Tobyne, Robert J., 32 Cummings Ave.  
 Trinchera, James A., 61 Old Cart Road  
 Tyack, John W., 11 Rust St.  
 Vallone, Luigi F., 328 Essex St.  
 Vaux, Robert G., 25 Bradford Road  
 Waitt, John D., 4 Echo Cove Road  
 Wansong, Elizabeth, 81 Blueberry Lane  
 Warwick, Elinor A., 82 Homestead Circle  
 Westland, Peter, 44 Chestnut St.  
 Wetson, Olivia C., 585 Bay Road  
 Whipple, Alvin P., 4 Pleasant St.  
 White, John P., 2 Horseshoe Lane  
 Whitmore, Harvey A., 605 Bay Road  
 Wiemann, Harry K., 85 School St.  
 Wood, Norman C., 16 Crescent Road  
 Young, Hazel K., 45 Martel Road  
 Younger, Joseph L., 211 Sagamore St.



## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

In the year 1971 the work load for the Board of Health increased approximately 40%. Nuisance complaints and investigations accounted for a part of this, but sewage overflow, repairs to existing systems and construction of new systems rose sharply last year. Because sewage is one of major concern to the Board of Health and to the Town of Hamilton, the Board again undertook the task of revising the rules and regulations governing minimum standards for sewage disposal systems and construction of same.

1. Repairs to existing systems were carefully studied with our Sanitarian and home owners so that a new system so designed and installed under the supervision of our Sanitarian, should be trouble free for a much longer period of time.
2. Minimum requirements for leaching fields were increased from 20' x 30' to 20' x 40' with a reserve area of equal size assuring the home owner of sewage disposal for years ahead.
3. All septic tanks installed in Hamilton shall be no less than 1,000 gallon capacity.

In order to insure a more complete and proper construction of future sewage systems, the Board unanimously voted to acquire the services of Mr. Leo Panunzio of Beverly. Mr. Panunzio made himself available to the Town at various times during the week and Saturdays. His judgement, his suggestions, his decisions to the Board and to the installers commanded the respect of all concerned. For this the Board was most grateful.

The Board acknowledges the help and support of our Clerk, Francis Whipple.

The Board also extends their appreciation to Mrs. Wealthea Nelson, our Visiting Nurse, for her contributions to the sick and needy.

To all others assisting us directly or indirectly we extend our thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES DeANGELIS, Chairman

DR. EDWARD R. ROAF

ERNEST A. DALE

## REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

I herewith submit the following report of the activities of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1971.

Total Arrests		264	
Male	215	Female	38
		Juvenile	11

### Classification of Crimes

Abusive Language	4	Malicious Injury to Property	8
Assault	6	Minor in Possession	
Breaking and Entering	2	of Alcohol	14
Disorderly Person	10	Receiving Stolen Property	3
Disturbing the Peace	6	Speeding	109
Driving to Endanger	9	Trespassing	3
Driving under the Influence	10	Using Without Authority	
Drug Laws	3	(M. V.)	4
Drunkenness	24	Violation of Probation	4
Larceny	8	Violation of Insurance Laws	
Law of the Road	31	(M. V.)	6

### Disposition of Cases

Continued	13	Nolo	20
Dismissed	8	Not Guilty	19
Filed	15	Sentenced	14
Fined	175		

### Miscellaneous

Accidents Investigated	93	House Breaks Investigated	11
Accidents Reported	142	House Checks Requested	775
Accident Reports Filed	232	Licenses Suspended	18
Ambulance Runs	202	Loose Horses Returned	68
Assistance to Medical		Missing Persons Reported	9
Examiner	9	Oxygen Calls	18
Buildings Found Opened	289	Resident Stickers Issued	974
Burglar Alarms Answered	107	Summons Served	183
Firearms Permits	112	Stolen Cars Recovered	16

I wish to express my appreciation to all who have assisted the Department during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. FREDERICK  
Chief of Police

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

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### TO THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS:

Under the direction of the Board of Public Works, this committee supervised another successful program of summer recreation at Patton Park. This year our director, Charles Fogg, and his veteran staff did an outstanding job in providing a variety of activities which offered our young people in Hamilton the many advantages of unstructured outdoor play.

The daily program offered our young people opportunities for instruction in arts and crafts, softball, basketball, tennis, archery and swimming. Six field trips were included in the program. Swim activities continued to provide a strong link in the total program. The leadership and enthusiasm of Charles Mons helped the swim team to grow to better than seventy participants. This team entered eight swim competitions including the Second Annual Patton Park Invitational Swim Meet. The girls' softball teams and the expanded basketball leagues were two extremely successful activities.

Many townspeople continued to volunteer and assist the staff. Their enthusiasm and dedication to our young people were a great contribution to the success of the summer program. We wish to thank the town workers and the volunteers for assisting and supporting the recreation program which inculcates the positive values of self discipline, self reliance, personal achievement and physical health.

The town is now fortunate to have a full time recreation director, Mr. Richard Vitale, whose program will come under the direct supervision of the Hamilton Recreation Advisory Council. At the close of this year it was the unanimous decision of the playground committee that we should disband. This action was taken to bring greater continuity and support to the recreation position and to a year round recreation program. We offer our good wishes to Mr. Vitale and pledge our continued interest and effort to assist him in his new position.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE GRIFFIN  
DONNA WHIPPLE  
ROBERT BONAZOLI  
HENRY TAYLOR  
RICHARD HENDEE

## REPORT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

The Board of Appeals conducted eleven formal hearings during 1971, a number rather close to the long term average. In addition there were the usual inquiries, requests for rulings or other information, and a number of hearings or work sessions with other boards or committees. The pony permit granted in June of 1970 and appealed by an abutter to Superior Court was finally heard at Salem in March of this year. As of year end the Judge has filed no decision.

The cases this year were widely scattered over the town and presented considerable variety in subject matter. Seven concerned variances in one way or another, three were for special permits authorized by the By-Law, and one was a site plan for an addition in the business district, in this case the Telephone Company building. A special permit for a large commercial stable and riding arena off Highland Street was granted in mid-summer and one for a garden produce or vegetable stand on Bridge Street followed later in the year. A neighbor has appealed this decision to the District Court, newly given the right to hear such cases, and it will be instructive to learn if that court will follow the Superior Court in generally upholding the discretion granted to boards of appeals in these specialized cases. Following perhaps the largest hearing in years the Board, in its longest decision for some time, denied a special permit (and disapproved the site plan) for an apartment house project on School Street, principally on account of unsuitable location and threatened danger to water supplies. No appeal was taken in this case.

Most of the variances cases were applications to permit a reduced sideline setback in order to allow extensions of houses. Three of these were granted and one for a new house (where there were also frontage and area deficiencies) was denied. One variance was denied because it appeared the house could legally be built for other reasons. One owner with an "extra" lot of less than the required width was denied a variance as was another owner who wanted to stable horses in a barn on a lot less than the 80,000 square feet required by the By-Law. Both the horses cases and "the extra Lot" cases suggest that it may be desirable for citizens and the Planning Board to consider whether the strict requirements in each case should be modified in any respect. Where the figures are so definite it is unfair to the public to hold out the possibility that the Board of Appeals can give relief except in cases where the dimensions are almost as great as required. In this connection it should be noted that the horses section (Accessory Uses - Sec. VA8b) is not specifically directed to the keeping of one or more riding horses but rather to farming enterprises in general. The result of requiring 80,000 foot lots, plus a setback of 50 feet for building or enclosure (this last not commonly known, we believe) would prohibit horses in the Residence 1a District except possibly in a very few cases. Still, there are nonconforming stables (even one commercial stable)

in this district and many of the older type houses had horses in earlier times. To rule out an entire district may be discriminatory. In an area of smaller lots, such as is common near both lakes and in South Hamilton Village, the existence of a piece of land larger than required for one lot but less than for two, almost invariably raises a hardship question in that it is undesirable to build a large and expensive house in the midst of a cluster of small houses. Under the former By-Law there was an amendment specifically authorizing variances in line with the pattern of the neighborhood, where well established. If the Board were to grant all variances of this type the By-Law would in effect be re-written for certain areas (something no Board of Appeals should do) and yet most of the instances involve a real hardship.

The increasing importance of drainage and sewage problems throughout the Town makes it important for any person who may be considering applying to this Board first to investigate the situation as to a Board of Health permit (or license in the case of a stable) without which any variance received from us would be useless.

The Legislature has doubled the number of persons who are to receive notice of Board of Appeals hearings by specifying that those owners next beyond all abutters be included. While this enactment was well intended and is easy to apply in built up areas it neglects to except cases where large estates or institutions are the primary abutters. Compliance in such cases will delay hearings and increase the work of all concerned, with very doubtful benefit to anyone.

Most variances granted, especially for buildings, are permanent in nature and "run with the land" for the benefit of future owners. Any variance, however, may be limited in time or conditioned upon certain events. In such cases a notice of the variance must be recorded in the Registry of Deeds before it takes effect. These notices are for the protection of future buyers and no one should buy property with such a notice on record without obtaining the actual decision and understanding the same. Elementary as this may seem, we have pending still another case of a buyer of such property who claims ignorance of the terms of the limited variance.

The Board wishes to thank the members of the Board of Selectmen and of the Board of Health for their cooperation throughout the year and, in particular, to thank the Chairman of the Board of Assessors and the Town Clerk and his staff for invaluable technical assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. BECKETT  
H. GRANT CROWELL  
CARL POEHLER, JR.  
DONALD G. HARADEN  
LEONARD LA CHANCE

Board of Appeals



## REPORT OF THE EMERGENCY CENTER

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### TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

The following is a summary of all Radio and Telephone Communications transmitted and received for the year 1971. There has been a slight decrease in telephone calls due to the Banning of Fire Permits and a change from the Hamilton Fire Department's Telephone Alert System to an all Radio Plectron Alert System, but the Radio Transmissions are still on the increase.

The Emergency Center personnel wish to thank all Town Departments for their cooperation and assistance during the past year. We also want to repeat the fact, we are here to assist in any way, to protect the Safety, Life, and Property, of the citizens of the Towns of Hamilton and Wenham.

Respectfully submitted,

REGINA G. MANTHORN  
Supervisor

### Telephone Messages Logged (Hamilton and Wenham)

ANIMALS (Lost-found-dog bites reported, requests for Dog Officer, etc.) .....	992
ELECTRIC COMPANY (Street lights out, power failure, wires down, etc.) .....	520
ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR .....	58
GAS COMPANY .....	64
TELEPHONE COMPANY .....	283
INTERDEPARTMENT (Calls between Emergency Center and all Town Departments, Hamilton-Wenham) .....	10,178
POLICE DEPARTMENT	
Accidents reported .....	216
Ambulance, Oxygen, Resuscitator .....	294
Doctors and Medical Examiners, to and from .....	108
Registry, to and from .....	205
Wrecker .....	114
State Police and out of town Police calls .....	1,136
Hospitals, to and from .....	321
Photographer .....	62
General Police calls .....	5,423
FIRE DEPARTMENT (Includes calls for Fire Marshall, routine tests, and information) .....	783



HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	726
WATER DEPARTMENT	341
PARK DEPARTMENT	108
TREE DEPARTMENT	86
MISCELLANEOUS	1,792
NUISANCE CALLS	408
GENERAL INFORMATION	1,078
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>25,296</b>

**Radio Transmissions Logged (Hamilton and Wenham)**

POLICE (Includes calls for Wrecker, Photographer, Registry Inspector, etc)	42,582
FIRE (Includes Plectron tests, Mutual Aid, etc.)	1,788
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	3,714
TREE DEPARTMENT	162
WATER DEPARTMENT	846
ROUTINE (Includes Road-Weather Conditions, Station Identification, and tests)	2,281
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>51,373</b>

This report does not include the Test Sounding of the 12:00 noon Fire Whistle, No-School Signals, or giving or receiving information over Hall Inter-Com.

**FOR  
EMERGENCY FIRE OR POLICE**

**DIAL  
468-4421**

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

In 1965, the "Master Plan" Report, commissioned by the Hamilton Planning Board, recommended that the Town establish an Historic District along that portion of Bay Road which was the center of the Town's original settlement. This was followed by a like recommendation from the Master Plan Study Committee of 1970, and subsequently, on November 16 of that year, pursuant to the General Laws of the Commonwealth, Chapter 40C, entitled The Historic District Act, the Board of Selectmen established the Hamilton Historic District Study Committee and appointed the undersigned to serve. All of the Committee are members of the Hamilton Historical Society; three are residents of the area considered; one is an architect; one a member of the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities; one a member of the Salem Board of Realtors; and one a historian.

The Study Committee has completed its investigations and has submitted a final report to the Board of Selectmen in which it recommends that the Town establish an Historic District consisting of the area along Bay Road adjoining the Town Hall and the Congregational Church. Its report was accompanied by a proposed By-Law to be presented to the Town Meeting for a vote, and by a map of the proposed District which is on file at Town Hall.

In compliance with the applicable law, a draft of the study Committee's report was submitted to the Hamilton Planning Board, to the Historical Commission of the Commonwealth, and to various other State agencies. All have approved the report. In addition, as required by the Statute, a public hearing on the preliminary report was held on September 23, 1971. In arriving at its final report, the Study Committee has taken into account the views stated at that meeting, as well as those expressed informally from time to time by residents and property owners in the proposed District.

The proposed By-Law contains a provision for the appointment by the Selectmen of an Historic District Commission which would have the authority to approve or disapprove any substantial changes in the outward appearance of all structures in the proposed District and the introduction of new structures. It is to be noted that the authority does not extend to any of the interior features of a building nor to exterior aspects not visible from the public way. In other words, the basic objective in the creation of the Historic District is the broad preservation of the outward appearance of the area as seen by a passer-by.

The creation of the Historic District does not in any way remove the buildings in the District from the requirements of the Zoning By-Law,

or the Building or other Codes effective throughout the Town. In addition, it is to be noted that the creation of such a District does not change in any way the taxable status of any buildings and land involved, nor detract from the power of the owner to sell or rent his property as he sees fit.

In conclusion, the Study Committee wishes to thank the property owners in the proposed District and the various Town Committees who have cooperated in the preparation of the final Report and who join the Study Committee in urging its adoption. All but two of the structures in the proposed District are over one-hundred years old; some are older. By accepting the Study Committee's Report and acting favorably on the proposed Historic District By-Law, the Town has what may well be a unique opportunity in these rapidly changing times to preserve this largely undisturbed heritage of its past.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD A. DALEY, Chairman  
DONALD W. BEATTIE  
C. STUART CARROLL  
FELLOWES DAVIS  
JANICE PULSIFER  
M. ANNE RYDER  
ANN NEARY, Clerk

## REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

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### TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

During the year 1971 many trips were made by many town officials to the surplus property warehouse in Taunton, Mass.; a dozen gas masks were purchased for the Police Department to use in civil disturbances or other emergencies.

The Auxiliary Police, who volunteer so many hours every year assisting the regular police department, should be commended by these town officials.

The Federal Government introduced a new excess property program in the fall of 1971 that will require some consideration.

All shelters in the Town have been licensed, and they should all be stocked this year.

Any Hamilton Radio Operators interested in activating the Civil Defense Communications System should call 468-1813.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT R. CHOUINARD  
Civil Defense Director

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON COUNCIL ON AGING

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

We herewith submit this report of the Hamilton Council on Aging for the year ending December 31, 1971.

The Senior Citizens Month of May was appropriately observed by recognition of the oldest man and woman in the town.

Council funds were utilized to help defray the cost of recreational trips taken by the Senior Citizens, those people in the community over sixty years of age.

The Friendly Visitation Program was continued again this year under the direction of L. T. Peterson and R. W. Brooks. Both of these men have done a splendid job in enabling us to carry on this worthwhile service.

In November our third annual Harvest Supper was held at the Regional High School with the highest number in attendance yet.

In December poinsettias were distributed to all shut-ins in town thereby bringing a little bit of Christmas into their homes.

During 1971 we welcomed two new members of the council, Mrs. Charles J. Oliver and Mrs. Richard P. Costello.

We look forward to working with Mr. Richard Vitale, Hamilton's new Recreational Director, with the hope of finding a Senior Citizen Drop-in Center for our community which has been a long-standing goal of this Council.

We wish to thank all townspeople, especially Mr. Lawrence Lamson, who have assisted this organization in promoting the goals of the Council.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA H. BENFIELD, Chairman

JANICE E. COSTELLO

ELIZABETH M. NEWBORG

PATRICIA E. OLIVER

CHESTER H. PEABODY

LAWRENCE T. PETERSON

ABRAM L. SHEPPARD

## REPORT OF THE YOUTH COMMISSION

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### TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

The Hamilton Youth Commission was officially established by vote of the town at the 1971 Annual Town Meeting for the purpose of discerning the needs of the youth of Hamilton and to provide programs to meet those needs.

The seven-member commission was appointed by the Selectmen. A group of Deputy Commissioners were then added to provide special talents, volunteer leadership of programs, and improved communications with young people.

Among the Deputy Commissioners is a representative group of high school students whose viewpoint is invaluable in establishing program direction.

Our initial year has been a productive one. The Commission has sponsored a mixed swimming pool program, Folk music program, two drug information programs principally for adults, open gyms for both boys and girls, gym street hockey, street hockey, basketball league play, plus arts and crafts programs.

The Commission has also provided volunteer assistance at the teen age center, recycling program, and have helped to purchase materials for the new hockey rink at Patton Park. Several other programs are in the formative stage.

Last November the town received the services of our new Recreational Director, Richard Vitale, who has given leadership to our recreational programs, making them more effective and permitting the Commission to consider other unmet needs of the youth of the community.

The Commission extends its grateful thanks to all who have contributed their time and efforts in behalf of our youth.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE H. CARLSON, Chairman

CHARLOTTE SIMPSON, Secretary

WESTON J. BURNER

HAROLD JACKLIN

ROBERT POOLE

ANN RYDER

BARBARA RIGOL

## REPORT OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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### TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

In the year 1971 the Hamilton Conservation Commission has held regular meetings each month at the Town Hall. The Commission has made field trips to Old Cart Road, Sagamore Hill, and the Barrett Wendell Estate and has communicated with various groups and individuals.

Commission members attended meetings and hearings of the Selectmen, Board of Health and the Planning Board where areas of mutual interest and potential cooperation were explored and Conservation Commission members were afforded a better insight into the aims and programs of the groups entrusted with planning the future of Hamilton.

The Chairman of the Commission attended Conservation School and along, with other members, attended many regional programs and conferences.

The Commission is indebted to the many concerned citizens who have helped to keep us informed of activities in their areas which would be of interest to the Conservation Commission.

In the coming year, the Conservation Commission plans to keep abreast of activities and programs of other agencies and departments of the Town, especially as they relate to conservation needs or problems both actual and potential, and to communicate directly with citizens of the Town in order to make use of their knowledge and suggestions regarding conservation matters.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES OLIVER, Chairman

FREDERIC WINTHROP

CLIFTON SIBLEY

G. ELSIE SNOW

HENRY TAYLOR

F. CHESTER CHILD

MARY PERKINS



## **REPORT OF THE EASTERN ESSEX DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' SERVICES**

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### **1971 REPORT**

Veterans and their dependents assisted through the Mass. Veterans' Benefits Program received such assistance as prescribed by Chapter 115 of the Mass. General Laws, as amended. The families assisted are being reported on a monthly case load basis: January - 22, February - 22, March - 18, April - 21, May - 21, June - 20, July - 19, August - 20, September - 24, October - 24, November - 24, December - 28. 15 applications for the Massachusetts Vietnam Bonus were filed. Exclusive of the Bonus, the Town is reimbursed 50% of the expenditure made under Chapter 115. Money expended under this program is listed in the financial statement of the Town Report. A total of 263 cases were processed in 1971.

### **Veterans' Services - Federal**

It is the primary purpose of this office to secure for the veterans and their dependents all federal funds for which they are eligible. The Town does not participate financially in the Federal Service Program. Services rendered to veterans and their dependents under the Federal Program are listed as follows: 13 Power of Attorney forms, 5 Applications for Education, 7 Applications for Pensions & Compensations, 8 Statements in Support of Claim, 5 Statements of Income & Net Worth, 7 Applications for Replacement of Separation Documents, 5 Applications for Hospitalization, 5 Certificates of Eligibility, 8 Change of Address forms, 16 Annual Questionnaire Cards filed, 2 Applications for Approval for School Attendance, 1 Application for Change of School or Program, 1 Request for Copy of War Record, 3 Requests for Tax Abatements, 2 Applications for Examination for Housebound.

Compensations and Pensions received through this office, and still in effect as of this report, total \$68,798.40 yearly. Educational benefits total \$14,600.00 yearly. Hospitalization in VA facilities have saved the Town \$11,400.00. Federal funds received by veterans and their dependents total \$94,789.40.

Respectfully submitted,

**FRANK STORY**  
Director

## REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1971:

Scales:	Adjusted	Sealed	Not Sealed	Condemned
100 to 5,000 lbs. ....	3	10	0	0
10 to 100 lbs. ....	6	16	1	0
Less 10 lbs. ....	2	8	0	0
<b>Weights:</b>				
Avoirdupois .....	2	18	0	0
Metric .....	0	25	0	0
Apothecary .....	0	19	0	0
<b>Meters:</b>				
Gasoline .....	4	36	3	0
Oil, Grease .....	1	6	0	0
Vehicle Tank .....	1	6	0	0
<b>Totals</b> .....	<u>19</u>	<u>144</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>

### Inspections made:

Gas Fuel Delivery .....	4
Metered Fuel Oil Delivery (House) .....	14
Bulk Fuel Delivery .....	2
Gasoline Pumps .....	9
Scales .....	3
Clinical Thermometers .....	41
Fish Peddler .....	3
Apple Peddler .....	2
Milk Jugs .....	22
<b>Total</b> .....	<u>100</u>

Reweighing of commodities put up for sale:

180 items checked.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. DIXON

Sealer

## REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

I am submitting my report as Building Inspector for the Town of Hamilton for 1971 as follows:

Total permits issued were 182 for the sum of \$1,351.00 with a total valuation from the permits of \$1,248,055.00.

There were 26 new houses. The balance of the permits were issued for additions, dormer windows, garages, family rooms, swimming pools and new foundations under existing buildings, also stables.

Alterations such as porch and breezeway, also repair, reshingle and demolish.

I wish to thank the Town Clerk and his staff for their assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN A. DODGE  
Building Inspector

## REPORT OF THE GAS INSPECTOR

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TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH:

I herewith submit my report as Gas Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1971.

A total of 87 permits were issued covering the following:

New Services .....	5
Ranges .....	32
Hot water heaters .....	13
Space heaters .....	15
Dryers .....	10
Incinerators .....	1
Furnaces .....	3
Trailers .....	9
Generator .....	1
Grills .....	3

There were 17 new LP tank installations which I have reported to the Fire Chief according to State Rule.

I wish to express my appreciation to all I have come in contact with for their cooperation during the performance of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. MULLINS  
Gas Inspector

## REPORT OF THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR

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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Electrical Inspector for the year ending December, 1971.

A total of 238 permits were issued covering the installation of wiring and appliances as follows:

Dwellings, New Construction .....	18
New Commercial Buildings .....	2
New Services .....	23
Temporary Services .....	19
Electric Water Heaters .....	4
Electric Dryers .....	12
Electric Ranges .....	8
Oil Burner Wiring .....	32
Swimming Pools .....	5
Additions .....	18
Miscellaneous Wiring .....	32
Calls Made for Service Locations .....	20
Advisory Calls Made .....	30
Grounding of Metal Siding .....	15

I wish to express my appreciation to the Town Clerk, John Lang of the Massachusetts Electric Company, and all citizens I have come in contact with during the performance of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT T. BROWN  
Electrical Inspector

## REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

The Masconomet Grave Site project on Sagamore Hill did not progress very much in 1971.

However, in 1972 we expect to make progress in carrying out our plan to clear the site as we have been assured that the Hamilton Board of Public Works will assist in this project under the direction of Superintendent Wallace E. Lane.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD A. DALEY, Chairman  
MARTHA E. PIERCE, Clerk

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE HAMILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

The Trustees are happy to report that there was increased participation in Library activities this year over all previous years. This reflects greater interest by the Townspeople to more fully utilize the existing facilities. Services by the Library have been expanded by opening two additional evenings during the school season. Thus the Library is now open thirty-five hours weekly; two mornings, six afternoons and four evenings. The summer schedule is twenty-five and one-half hours weekly.

The required Annual Report has been submitted to the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners who have certified that Hamilton Public Library has met all standards of free public service and therefore qualified to receive \$1,372.00 as State Aid. This amount is based upon the 1960 U. S. Census of 5488 at twenty-five cents per resident. Further State communications have been issued indicating an increase in Aid for 1972. This amount is based upon thirty-seven and one-half cents per resident and in addition using the 1970 U. S. Census which is 6374. Pending the meeting of standards in 1972, Hamilton would be qualified to receive \$2,390.25.

The Trustees sincerely thank Mrs. Owen Kite, Head Librarian, for directing the Library in various endeavors and her many capable efforts and keen interests in obtaining current and updated publications. The Trustees also acknowledge, with thanks, the cooperation and assistance of the entire Library Staff for their interests and cooperative services.

An active and spirited group of people whose interest is to promote the advancement and participate in many events for the benefit of the Library, and ultimately its Patrons, is the Friends of the Library, under its President, Mrs. Edmund Reinhalter. The Trustees thank them for all their worthy gifts and services they have so willingly and generously provided throughout the year.

As can be seen by the financial report of the Town, the Library has operated within its budget allocations. The amount is less than one and one-half percent of the overall Town budget. It is also less than the amount spent by the average Town of comparable size in the Commonwealth and with comparable services and stature. The Library property is in good repair. Only minor preventative maintenance and repair was required and provided.

The Trustees appreciate and thank other Town personnel and Departments for their cooperation and services for the benefit of the Library and its Patrons.

Again, it has been a sincere pleasure to have served the Town as

Trustees of the Hamilton Public Library. Each resident is welcomed and urged to visit the Library frequently and take utmost advantage of its services and opportunities for the rewarding enjoyment and educational values to provide a better environment for Hamilton.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ROY WOLFSKILL, Chairman  
SARAH H. TRUSSELL  
CAROLYN W. LANDER

## REPORT OF THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

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### TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH:

I herewith submit my report as Plumbing Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1971.

A total of 65 permits were issued covering the following:

Water Closets	79
Lavatories	81
Tubs	45
Showers	14
Sinks	40
Hot Water Heaters	39
Washing Machines	21
Garbage Disposals	7
Dishwashers	16
Urinals	3
Floor Drains	5
Roof Drain	1
Hydrants	2
Coffee Maker	1
Pool Inspections	10

I wish to express my appreciation to all I have come in contact with for their cooperation during the performance of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. MULLINS  
Plumbing Inspector



## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON HOUSING AUTHORITY

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

The Hamilton Housing Authority wishes to report for the year 1971 on the activities of the State-Aided Housing Project for Elderly, Hamilton 667-1, consisting of forty (40) units and Community Building.

The project continues fully occupied and has been since the date of completion in 1964. Since its initial occupancy the project has averaged two vacancies each year and this was unchanged in 1971. The two vacancies were assigned to two Hamilton residents. There is an active list of thirty-two Hamilton residents.

Several approaches for additional units were investigated through the Department of Community Affairs but none have resulted in any commitments to date.

During 1971, Member and Treasurer, Donald B. Almquist was forced to resign for personal reasons, effective at the January 5, 1971 Meeting. Member and Chairman August W. Hoaglund, Sr., did not seek re-election and two new Members were elected at the annual town election March 9, 1971. Mr. Joseph B. Hughes of 130 Asbury Street was elected a Member for a one year term expiring March, 1972 to fill the unexpired term of Donald B. Almquist. Mr. Clifford R. Benzel, 11 Hedding Avenue was elected a Member for a five year term expiring in March, 1976.

All income and expenditures of the Authority were audited annually by the Office of the Auditor, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The Authority wishes to thank the officials of the Town of Hamilton and the Members and staff of the State Department of Community Affairs for their help and cooperation.

GEORGE E. CANTWELL, Chairman  
JOHN B. CLEMENZI, Vice-Chairman  
DONALD W. BEATTIE, Treasurer  
CLIFFORD R. BENZEL, Vice-Treasurer  
JOSEPH B. HUGHES, Rent Secretary

## REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

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In 1971 the Hamilton Public Library added 1091 new books, 5 new periodicals, 126 new records and checked 47,113 items out across the desk. 138 children listened to Mrs. Janes' story hour for five and six year olds. 320 books were borrowed from the libraries of the Eastern Regional System.

What do these figures mean? Our total circulation figure means that we are busier than ever before. Our new-books-purchased figure shows that more book money has bought fewer books . . . hardly a surprise in this year of inflation. One of the biggest surprises has been the enthusiastic reception of our small record collection. Our 383 records have circulated 2282 times. This means, of course, that we will try to buy more records next year.

The most obvious improvement at the library is the bright orange tweed rug in the Children's department, a gift of the loyal Friends of the Hamilton Public Library, and indirectly a gift from all those who gave their old books to the annual book sale. The Friends work quietly all year mending our books, decorating our big window, and sponsoring poster contests, February vacation entertainment and the book review group. We cannot thank all the Friends and Mrs. Edmund Reinhalter enough.

The library cooperated with the Hamilton Historical Society in the reprinting of the Hamilton portion of **The History of Essex County**, the pages of which were worn thin by generations of Hamilton school children. Copies were sent to the Hamilton school libraries.

Increased evening use of the library led to increased evening hours. The library is now open four nights a week during the school year. In 1972 we look forward to opening Wednesday noon to give all those who work around the square a chance to browse during lunch hour.

In 1971 the library added a machine to speed up the charging of books and make our records more accurate. New registration figures show that the library has 1941 active borrowers. The list grows daily.

I want to thank all the people of Hamilton who have shared their ideas for a better library with me. The Trustees have given freely of their time and been very helpful. The library staff members have made it most enjoyable to work here.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH KITE  
Librarian

## REPORT OF THE AUXILIARY POLICE

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### TO THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR:

I herewith submit my report of the activities of the Auxiliary Police for the year 1971.

Firemen's Ball, Legion Hall, 13 February	16 Hours
Play, Methodist Church, Regional School, 5 March	10 "
Ski-Do Meet, Booster's Club, Myopia Field, 6 March	26 "
Arts & Crafts Exhibit, Winthrop School, 17 April	22 "
Arts & Crafts Exhibit, Winthrop School, 18 April	22 "
Arts & Crafts Exhibit, Winthrop School, 19 April	16 "
Memorial Day Exercises, Parade, Traffic Duty, 31 May	59 "
Methodist Church Fair, Church Grounds, 5 June	14 "
St. Paul's Horse Show, Schooling Field, 26 June	46 "
Legion Horse Show, Schooling Field, 5 September	38 "
Legion Horse Show, Schooling Field, 6 September	56 "
MSSO Auction, Winthrop School, 18 September	18 "
4-H Club, Horse Show, Schooling Field, 17 October	14 "
Police Association Ball, Myopia Club, 22 October	16 "
Halloween Night, 31 October	141 "
Community Service Fair, Community House, 6 November	56 "
Essex County Selectmen Association Meeting, Myopia Hunt Club, 13 November	6 "
Total	576 Hours

Police Training Duty, Unpaid General Police Work,  
Assisting Regular Police, Cruiser, etc.

1st Quarter	73 Hours
2nd Quarter	104 "
3rd Quarter	119 "
4th Quarter	132 "
Total	428 Hours

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Total Hours 1004

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. DIXON  
Chief of Auxiliary Police

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

This is the third report of the Department of Public Works.

This Department was established three years ago and still some of the citizens do not understand what Department of Public Works means. It means that three men acting as your Commission, have taken charge of six departments, namely; Highway, Cemetery, Park, Water, Sanitation and Tree. This Board meets with their Superintendent at the Town Hall every Monday night, to discuss the work done during the previous week and to plan the work for the following week. They also will meet with any citizens who have a problem, and discuss it with them. The Commissioners also have to check different problems during the week, too numerous to include in this report.

Last year we purchased some new equipment, but the piece that is saving us the most money is the new front end loader. This heavy equipment is used to cover and maintain the town dump, which we still have to maintain even though the collection is contracted. It is also used to pile and mix the salt with the sand for winter, load trucks with snow, sand, gravel, etc.

We do hire a few trucks to help us in plowing snow, but the biggest part is done by our own equipment.

In the spring all repairs, patching and cleaning of the streets were done. The sides of Moulton Street were graded and seeded. We used over 800 tons of hot-top to do Appleton Avenue, part of Bridge Street, Pine Street, Garfield Avenue, Grant Avenue, part of Plum Street and Central Avenue.

Another very good program that is proving successful is the sand and road-oil being mixed in place. This year we have done Meyer Road, Village Lane, Waldingfield Road, a portion of Cutler Road and a portion of Sagamore Street. We also made a new driveway to the Cutler School.

We are always seeking new ways to maintain and keep the grounds in our parks, the three schools and the library looking better. We are very proud of the way the men and women have kept them. We expect to have more activity and improve our parks even more next year.

We are planning to improve the care of our trees, such as cutting down diseased elms, dead trees, trimming of dead branches, etc. and the planting of new trees next year.

A total of 212,743,950 gallons of water was pumped during the year 1971.

The following work was performed in 1971:

New water services installed	20
Cellar valves repaired	35
Hydrants repaired	21
Curb Cocks repaired	13
Services turned on and off	172
Meters repaired	70

The town had a total of 1918 water services as of December 31, 1971.

We have laid 2,000 feet of 8 inch water pipe on Cutler Road going under the Boston and Maine railroad tracks.

The work for the care of the Cemetery carried at its best. We are always constructing new bays for more graves.

Single endowed graves sold	15
Four-lot endowed graves sold	5
Eight-lot endowed graves sold	9
Interments	38
Perpetual care deposits	5
Foundations	5

We, as your Public Works Department, want to thank Wallace E. Lane, our Superintendent, all the men and women working under him, the volunteer Hamilton Playground Committee, the Town Accountant, Selectmen, Finance Board, Police Department and all other citizens who have helped us during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON L. THOMPSON, Chairman

THEODORE W. MAIONE

DONALD L. MILLER

Board of Public Works

## REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

I herewith submit my report as Treasurer of the Town of Hamilton for the year ending December 31, 1971:

Balance January 1, 1971	
Bay Bank and Trust Co.	\$ 89,919.11
New England Merchants	118,018.43
Cash on Hand	73,690.06
Certificate of Deposit	40,000.00
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	\$ 321,627.60
Receipts during year	\$4,131,901.80
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	\$4,453,529.40
Payments during 1971	\$4,165,595.52
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	\$ 287,933.88
Balance December 31, 1971	
Bay Bank and Trust Co.	\$ 70,148.66
New England Merchants	145,562.97
Certificate of Deposit	40,000.00
Cash on Hand	25,788.87
Merchants Warren National Bank	1,433.34
Performance Deposit	5,000.00
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	\$ 287,933.84

During the year 1971 it was necessary to borrow \$1,100,000 in anticipation of revenue in order to meet financial obligations of the town until sufficient tax money had been received. This resulted in interest payments of nearly \$15,512.39. Such borrowings were made by notes of \$100,000 each, the first being in March 1971.

Interest has been added to the various trust funds, and withdrawals made as authorized. Trust fund receipts have been deposited in the respective savings accounts. A report of each trust fund will be found elsewhere in this town report.

I express my appreciation for the assistance given me by Mrs. Newborg, Mrs. Quinn, Miss Hanson and Mrs. Boyles of the Town Hall staff in connection with the detailed clerical work required of the Treasurer, and to all officials, employees and citizens of the town for their cooperation and assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT F. HALEY  
Town Treasurer



## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON PLANNING BOARD

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

The members of the Planning Board wish to express their gratitude to the Hamilton Master Plan Study Committee, the Conservation Commission, the Town Clerk, Francis Whipple, and his Secretary, Mrs. Helen Boyles for the invaluable assistance which they gave the Planning Board in its amendment of the Hamilton Zoning By-Law by the adoption of a Conservancy District.

We believe that the Conservancy District will promote the future health and welfare for the citizens of the town for the following reasons:

1. It should help to preserve and maintain the ground water table upon which the inhabitants of the town are dependent for their future water supply.
2. It will help to protect against flooding.
3. Open spaces unsuitable for building will be conserved in their natural condition and the wild life dependent on these open spaces will be protected.

The Planning Board again urges the citizens of the town to establish an Historic District to insure against the spoilage and disintegration of the beautiful buildings in the original heart of the town.

The 1971 Town Meeting directed the Planning Board to study local housing needs and State and Federal housing assistance programs. The recommendation of the Planning Board is the construction of another STATE-AIDED Housing Project for the elderly. There are now approximately forty Hamilton residents on the active waiting list. The Housing Authority is presently studying the possibility of building this facility in conjunction with Wenham. This joint approach would make a much larger area of land available for site consideration and could greatly facilitate the acquisition of a location within walking distance of the main business district of Hamilton. The size of the joint project might be in the neighborhood of 60 units and 40 units if only Hamilton was involved.

There are several Massachusetts communities presently engaged in litigation over the proposed construction of low and moderate income housing under Chapter 774 of the Acts of 1969. Until the problems are solved and guidelines are clarified, the Planning Board recommends further study in this area. The Board thanks George C. Beckett, Chairman of the Appeals Board for his assistance and report on low and moderate income housing.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE CUTLER, Chairman  
 HENRY GOURDEAU  
 DR. HENRY F. LARCHEZ  
 W. WHITNEY LUNDGREN  
 RUSSELL F. MEADE

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

### ORGANIZATION

Following the annual Town Election held March 1971, the Board of Selectmen met and organized. Selectmen William F. MacKenzie was elected Chairman for the ensuing year. All appointments of town officials and committees coming under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen were made.

### APPOINTMENTS

The Board of Selectmen received with regret the notice of Judge Standish Bradford, who had so ably served as Town Counsel for many years, that for personal reasons he did not wish to be considered for reappointment in March 1971.

During his long service to the town, the population had more than doubled and the town was faced with continued multiple problems too numerous to mention.

Judge Bradford's counsel, wisdom, and guidance deserves much credit for the resolution of these problems and the direction of the growth and development of our town in which we take such pride today.

The town was fortunate to have three very well-qualified attorneys apply for the vacancy.

The Board of Selectmen, after much deliberation, unanimously elected Harold M. Willcox of Gail Avenue as Town Counsel.

Mr. Willcox came well recommended and had served as Counsel for the Massachusetts Crime Commission and Town Counsel for the town of Ipswich.

Since assuming the position of Town Counsel, Mr. Willcox has rapidly gained the respect and cooperation of all town officials.

The town was greatly saddened by the passing of Mr. George Morrow, Fire Engineer, former Fire Captain, and a member of the Registrars of Voters.

Mr. Wayne Gauthier, a captain in the Fire Department, was promoted to Fire Engineer to fill the vacancy caused by the untimely passing of Mr. Morrow.

The Selectmen received notification of the resignation of Health Board member, Mr. Lawrence Ashton. The Board of Selectmen and Board of Health held a joint meeting as prescribed by law and unanimously elected Mr. Ernest Dale to fill the vacancy.

## EMERGENCY CENTER

The Emergency Report Center, which is under the control of the Selectmen, continues to provide effective, dependable and economically sound service to the community. We are fortunate in having very able and conscientious operators who are responsible for the success of the program.

## YOUTH

The Board of Selectmen and the Public Works Commission, realizing the need for more recreational programs and facilities have been continually working on this problem.

A great deal of progress has been made this past year.

The Youth Commission has planned and is implementing programs that have been requested by the youth.

The Park Recreation Committee operated a program at the park this past summer that was unequalled in the area.

The Youth Commission Ecology Sub-Committee has been working closely with the youth on reclamation projects.

Separate groups, but working closely with the town, continue to provide additional programs. The Community Service, Hamilton-Wenham Boosters Club, the YMCA and the Hamilton-Wenham Drug Committee deserve special mention.

Taking advantage of the Federal Funds available, the Selectmen applied for, and were granted, funds for a Recreational Director.

Mr. Ralph Vitale was appointed Recreation Director in October, 1971. Since his appointment Mr. Vitale has organized and supplemented programs that have drawn commendation from both the youth and the parents within the town.

Cooperative plans of the Selectmen and the Board of Public Works should lead toward further advancement of this program.

## LONG RANGE PLANS

The Board of Selectmen and Finance Committee have held meetings with all departments to continue to explore and update the long range needs of the town, resulting in needs of the town for the next five to ten years being compiled. A priority list is then established and recommended as a guideline.

## MEETINGS

The year 1971 was a very busy one. In addition to regular meetings, numerous special meetings and hearings were held, and seminars and State and County meetings were attended. It is a rare week that does not

find your Selectmen involved during the day or evening with town business. We are proud to have been elected to serve you in this position of trust.

### CONCLUSION

Every effort on our part has been to represent the townspeople on a fair and equal basis; to keep Hamilton progressive within the limits of a sound fiscal policy; and to insure the taxpayers are getting the most for their tax dollars.

This report is only intended to be a summary of the activities of the Board of Selectmen which we feel will be of the most interest to the taxpayers. We take this opportunity to thank the people of Hamilton for the privilege of having served as your Selectmen for the past year. We also thank all Town Officials, Departments and others who have assisted us during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. MacKENZIE, Chairman  
LAWRENCE R. STONE  
GEORGE H. RICKER

## REPORT OF THE PERSONNEL BOARD

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TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

The Board again has reviewed the Job Rates set in the Personnel By-law. We find with few exceptions that they are in line with the rates for towns of comparable size and the surrounding towns. Those that are not in line should be adjusted upward next year to keep any gap from widening. We would have recommended some of these changes this year but are hampered by wage controls.

We are recommending that all job rates in Groups I through V be adjusted upward by approximately 5% and that adjustment be made in certain of the jobs listed under "Jobs and Rates and Fees". This will allow a cost of living increase for the Town employees. We are recommending no other changes in the By-law.

The Board regretted the resignation of William Symonds last Spring. He had given several years of real service to the Board and the Town. He has been missed. The Board welcomes the appointment of Edward Rowland who was appointed late this Fall.

The recommended changes are provided for in Article 4 of the Warrant for the 1972 Annual Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD C. TAYLOR, Chairman

RICHARD F. HARTNETT

H. WILLARD HORNE

PERCY CURTIS

EDWARD S. ROWLAND

## REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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### TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

The Board of Fire Engineers herewith submit their Annual Report for the year 1971 with recommendations and comments.

The roster of the Fire Department consists of (1) Chief, (4) Asst. Chiefs, (1) Capt., (2) Lieuts., and (21) Privates.

We were saddened by the death of Asst. Chief George Morrow. His place has been filled by Capt. Wayne Gauthier.

During 1971 your Fire Department required 130 days in the performance of various duties. There were 41 Bell Alarms, 26 Still Alarms, 5 False Alarms and 3 Mutual Aid.

Extra Duty: Checking and Flushing Hydrants 110 hrs., Testing and Maintaining Equipment 114 hrs., Drills and Practice (5) 120 hrs., Standby Duty 85 hrs., Maintenance and Repairs to Whistle 18 hrs.

Classified: Electrical and Appliances 17, Dumps 14, Grass and Brush 12, Motor Vehicles 12, Building and Contents 9, Heaters and Chimney 8, Mutual Aid 3, and all other Misc. 9.

Inspection and Permits issued by Chief: Oil Burners 34, Bottled Gas 11, Gasoline 4, Blasting 6, Welding 5.

Fire Prevention Calls and Inspections by Chief: 16.

Hose Laid: 4,400 ft. 2½", 6,200 ft. 1½", 6,700 ft. Booster.

Water Used: Hydrants 61,000 gals., Tanks 48,000 gals.

Dry Chemicals: 30 lbs. Wet Chemicals: 25 gals. Foam: 5 gals.

Ladders Raised: Aerial 450 ft. - 15 hrs.; Hand 380 ft. - 20 hrs.

Purchases: 100 ft. 3" Dacron Hose, 500 ft. 2½" Dacron Hose, 600 ft. 1½" Dacron Hose, (5) Radio Receivers, (1) Walkie Talkie, Misc.: Coats, Boots, Helmets, Gloves, Hand Lights, Tools and Fittings.

Repairs: Engine 1, Tune-up; Engine 2, Tune-up; Engine 3, Radio and Alternator; Ladder 2, Tune-up; Forestry, Heavy Duty rear springs.

Apparatus, all in first class condition:

Engine 1, 1965 Mack, 1,000 G.P.M. Pumper.

Engine 2, 1947 Seagrave, 750 G.P.M. Pumper.

Engine 3, 1958 International Combination.

Ladder 1, 1950 Maxim 65 ft. Aerial Ladder.

Forestry, 1969 Chevrolet 4-Wheel Drive Brush.



Fire Drills and Inspections conducted at all Schools, Churches, Public Buildings and Business places.

Inside and outside Training and Drills held monthly, (4) at Academy.

We purchased a Maxim 65 ft. Aerial Ladder, 1950 Model, as voted at Town Meeting. This Truck has been refurbished, equipped and painted and is now in service. The men have all been trained in its operation, and we are confident that this will be a big addition to our fine organization.

We wish to thank the various Town Officials for their cooperation and also the dedicated men that make up our all-call department. The interest and enthusiasm they show is appreciated by us and the townspeople. We are sure the people of Hamilton realize they get a lot of service and protection for the money spent.

Once again we strongly recommend that sprinklers be installed in all Public Buildings and multi-family structures.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE LAMSON, Chief

ROBERT CHITTICK, III, Asst. Chief

CHARLES DOLLIVER, Asst. Chief

GORDON THOMPSON, Asst. Chief

WAYNE GAUTHIER, Asst. Chief

Board of Fire Engineers

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

1971 has been a busy year for the Assessors office, also a hectic one. Probably this is normal any year that the taxpayer gets a 25% increase in the amount of his or her tax bill. Past records show this to be the the largest percentage raise of taxes in the history of the Town of Hamilton in one year.

The Assessors in 1971 have given exemptions to 78 persons under Clause 41 (taxpayers of over 70 years of age who qualify), 18 persons under Clause 17 (certain widows under 70 years who qualify), and 90 persons under Clause 22 (disabled vets, purple hearts and paraplegics), also 4 persons under Clause 37 (blind). In 1972 persons who qualify under Clause 17 and Clause 22 are to receive an exemption of \$175.00 or over twice the amount exempted in 1971. An amount is raised each year for this purpose designated as Assessors overlay which of course has to be increased from time to time.

About 150 pieces of property were transferred and 183 building permits were issued for various reasons and about 5,000 motor excise bills were processed.

### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING

Whenever you receive an excise tax bill on a motor vehicle and the vehicle has been sold or disposed of in any way and the plates put on another car or trailer, PLEASE notify the Board of Assessors of this as soon as possible as this saves a lot of bookwork, refunds, etc. for the Tax Collector, Treasurer, etc. by receiving your abatement before you pay your tax to the Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. CHITTICK, Chairman

ROBERT H. BROOKS

CORNELIUS J. MURRAY, JR.

## ASSESSORS 1971 RECAPITULATION

Total Appropriations at Town Meetings	\$2,510,108.73
Offsets to Cherry Sheet receipts	16,727.78
Interest Overdraft	3,179.86
County Tax	76,976.99
State Tax and Assessments (M.B.T.A. - \$45,300.00)	68,154.87
Overlay for Abatements	67,490.01
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	\$2,742,638.24

## Receipts

1971 estimated receipts from Local Aid (Cherry Sheet)	\$ 429,384.77
All other receipts	266,595.14
Taken from Surplus Revenue	91,000.00
Other Available Funds	21,412.73
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	\$ 808,392.64
Net amount to be raised by Taxation	\$1,934,245.60
\$48,356,140.00 @ \$40.00 per \$1,000	\$1,934,245.60

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES

Number of Horses assessed	306
Number of Cattle assessed	40
Number of Acres of Land assessed	6,096
Number of Dwellings assessed	1,893

# 1971 TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Year	Tax	Outstanding January 1, 1971	Committed 1971	Refunds	Abatements	Collected	Transferred To Tax Title	Uncollected
1968	Personal Tax	18.24				.24		18.00
1969	Personal Tax	376.08			119.84	8.16		248.08
1970	Personal Tax	2,273.75			150.40	1,319.19		804.16
1968	Real Estate	643.50						643.50
1969	Real Estate	4,266.31		12.88	112.88	1,036.00		3,130.31
1970	Real Estate	40,537.51		177.56	432.28	36,549.95	208.32	2,524.52
1965	M.V. Excise	40.70						40.70
1966	M.V. Excise	415.61			177.38	145.28		92.95
1967	M.V. Excise	39.14			5.78	12.46		20.90
1968	M.V. Excise	809.43			351.47	31.70		426.26
1969	M.V. Excise	1,414.99		40.43	794.98	127.20		533.24
1970	M.V. Excise	27,432.13	14,960.17	2,421.60	6,375.91	37,610.33		827.66
1968	Water Liens	55.00						55.00
1969	Water Liens	118.30				25.00		93.30
1970	Water Liens	272.20				247.20		25.00
<b>1971 Commitments</b>								
1971	Personal Tax	75,580.80		90.40	988.40	71,693.44		2,989.36
1971	Real Estate	1,858,664.80		2,146.64	43,559.14	1,782,807.37		34,444.93
1971	M.V. Excise	179,947.37		2,564.72	18,646.68	147,629.35		16,236.06
1971	Cemetery	281.00			3.00	257.00		21.00
1971	Water Rates	20,172.10	60,000.40	51.20	340.70	62,261.75	1,515.10	16,140.55
1971	Water Services	472.68	2,930.50		102.00	2,701.18		600.00
1971	Water Liens		1,515.10		17.00	1,306.10		192.00
1971	Municipal Liens					660.00		

## Water Liens

Respectfully submitted,

George F. Dawe, Town Collector

## THE ESSEX COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT REPORT OF ACTIVITIES IN HAMILTON FOR 1971

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The Essex County, Revere and Winthrop Mosquito Control Project has been serving the Town of Hamilton with a year-round program of mosquito abatement for six and one half years. During this period as the Project has grown, the service provided Hamilton and all other communities in the district has also increased. Project personnel have become better acquainted with the topography of the area and the residents have demonstrated greater concern with and knowledge of the many facets of mosquito control. An increasingly effective program has resulted.

The objective of the Essex County Project has always been the reduction of the mosquito population to the point where it no longer constitutes a severe nuisance and a health hazard to man and animal. This objective can be reached primarily through the employment of measures which reduce the breeding sources, and secondly, through the judicious use of chemicals. As the breeding sources are eliminated through drainage and water management, there will be a proportionate decrease in the need for chemical treatment. In keeping with this objective is this report of work accomplished in Hamilton in 1971.

During March, fifty-two (52) acres of fresh water woodland pools were treated by the application of the pesticide Methoxychlor to the surface of the ice. These pools are depressions filled with water from rains and melting snows, and for the most part, have no association with marshes or wetland areas. In a normal summer season they will be completely dry by mid-July. Prior to drying they are the major source of the fresh water species of mosquitoes which appear on the wing annually around Memorial Day.

In April and early May, forty-four (44) acres of woodland pools not treated during the ice dusting program, received an application of a larvicide known commercially as Abate, an organosphosphate. This material has proven, if applied at the recommended dosage of one (1) fluid ounce per acre of water surface, to be comparatively non-toxic to all but the target organism, the mosquito larva, and then only in its first three instars or molting stages. The fourth instar and pupal stage along with other aquatic organisms are unaffected by this treatment.

The total acreage treated on ice and water surface during the so-called off season was ninety-six (96). Considering that this figure represents the total area of hundreds of woodland pools ranging in size from 100 square feet to  $\frac{1}{4}$  acre which first must be located by walking the forests and fields and in turn treated manually, we can better realize the magnitude of the job. Sixteen hundred and eighty-three (1,683) acres were thus treated in Essex County in 1971.

As in previous years the Project conducted a fogging program to combat the adult mosquito during the summer months. This work was accomplished in Hamilton on the following dates: June 4, 18, 25; July 9, 16, 23, 30; August 6, 13, 20, 27; and September 3.

In May, employing a tractor-backhoe specially designed to traverse marsh areas, the Project dredged the brook which runs between Howard and Linden Streets, a distance of 450 feet. A new ditch was installed for a distance of 500 feet to drain a wet area to the rear of the Methodist Church off Route 1-A during the month of July. In October, power equipment was employed to install a new drainage ditch for a distance of 110 feet to eliminate a mosquito breeding area between Highland and Howard Streets.

For eighteen days in October and November a crew of five men reclaimed by hand 5,650 feet of the brook which flows south and west from Asbury Street to Linden Street, then under Howard Street, Highland Street and into the Wenham Swamp north of Pleasant Pond. Prior to the clearing of this brook, the brush and undergrowth was removed from both banks. Thus a total of 6,710 feet of new and existing waterways in Hamilton were attended by the personnel of the Essex County Project during the year.

Except for the summer fogging, the majority of the mosquito abatement work performed in Hamilton or any other community, because it takes place in the swamps, marshes, and woodlands back from the main thoroughfares, goes unnoticed by the general public. The winter ice dusting, the spring larviciding, and the permanent work of drainage mentioned in this report represents many hundreds of man hours and machine hours expended. The time spent in fogging represents a small percentage of our total effort. It is ironic that the least important phase of our year-round program commands the most publicity.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert W. Spencer  
Superintendent



## REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report as Dog Officer of the Town of Hamilton for the months of November and December 1971.

My appointment as Dog Officer of the Town of Hamilton was effective in November, 1971, therefore I am not in a position to report on the activities prior to such date. However, I do believe that my experiences for two months do reflect what has taken place for the prior ten months.

I report such activities as follows:

Complaints during the period	44
Dog Bites reported	6
Dogs reported lost	12
Phone calls relative to dogs	51
Dogs Confined	5
Dogs found and returned to owner	6
Injured dogs taken to Veterinarian	1
Dogs killed by motor vehicles	5
Dogs reported lost, not found	3

It is my firm belief that many of the dog complaints referred to the Dog Officer could well be eliminated if the owners of the dogs would pay more attention to the animals. Many of the complaints are the result of the owners no longer having love or affection for the dog, thereby allowing it to roam at will and in many cases being an annoyance to neighbors.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl Weaver

Dog Officer

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**WARRANT**  
**FOR THE**  
**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

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ESSEX, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE OF THE TOWN OF HAMILTON:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hamilton qualified to vote in election and Town Affairs, to meet in the HAMILTON - WENHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, in said Town on MONDAY, the SIXTH DAY OF MARCH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO (March 6, 1972) at eight o'clock in the evening (8 P.M.) then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To bring in your ballots for:

Moderator for one year.

Town Clerk for one year.

One Selectman for three years.

Treasurer for one year.

Tax Collector for one year.

One Assessor for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for two years (to fill vacancy).

Two members of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District Committee for three years.

One Library Trustee for three years.

One member of the Board of Public Works for three years.

One member of the Planning Board for five years.

One member of the Housing Authority for five years.

And to vote YES or NO on the following question:

Question No. 1. Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called "Beano"?

The above named officers and question to be voted for on one ballot on **TUESDAY**, the **FOURTEENTH DAY OF MARCH 1972** (March 14, 1972) in the **JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM**. The polls will be opened at 8:00 o'clock A.M. and will be closed at 8:00 o'clock P.M.

Article 2. To choose and appoint, or to fix the number of and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint, other Town Officers in such manner as the Town may determine.

Article 3. To hear the reports of Town Officers and of the Finance and Advisory Committee and all other committees and take any action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will adopt as amendments to the Personnel By-law the changes in the classification and compensation plans and other changes in the By-law recommended by the Personnel Board, copies of which are on file with the Town Clerk and are available to any interested person, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for Schools, Highways and all other Town expenses and to determine the manner of expending the same.

Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Construction, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time as provided by Section 4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws in the current year and the ensuing year and to issue notes and renewal notes therefor payable within one year, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Assessors to use available funds or "free cash" in determining the tax rate for the year 1972, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will transfer a sum of money from the Overlay Surplus Account to the Finance Committee's Reserve Account, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will transfer \$1,372. in the State Aid to Libraries Account to the Library Expense Account to be used for Library purposes, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a Cruiser-Ambulance for use of the Police Department and authorize the sale or exchange of the present cruiser, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a sedan for the Police Department and authorize the sale or exchange of the present sedan, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.) for the resurfacing of various streets in Town, such work to be under the direction of the Department of Public Works, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Public Works to use the \$1,600. received for damage to Cemetery fence for the purpose of repairing said fence, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will adopt the By-law proposed by the Historic District Study Committee, establishing an Historic District and establishing and defining the powers of an Historic District Commission under Chapter 40C of the General Laws, copies of such by-law being on file with the Town Clerk and available to any person, or to adopt such by-law with such changes as may be made at the meeting, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will amend Section VI, B, 6, a of the Zoning By-law so as to extend its provisions to structures or construction other than dwellings, such by-law as so amended to read substantially as follows with such changes therein as may be approved at the meeting:

- "a. Every dwelling, shed, swimming pool, tennis court or other building or structure or any part thereof in any district, residential or otherwise, shall be located as not to extend within fifteen (15) feet of a side or rear lot line or within twenty (20) feet of any other building."

Article 19. To see if the Town will adopt a By-law requiring protective fencing for certain swimming pools. The by-law which the Selectmen intend to propose by motion at the meeting shall read substantially as follows, and changes therein may be approved at the meeting:

“Any person maintaining a permanent artificial swimming pool containing twenty-four inches or more in depth of water, at any point, shall erect and maintain an adequate enclosure surrounding the pool area or entire property sufficient to make such a body of water inaccessible to small children. Such enclosure, including gates therein, must be not less than four feet above the ground; all gates must be self-latching with latches placed four feet above the ground or otherwise made inaccessible from the outside to small children. A pool cover or other protective device approved by the Board of Selectmen may be used so long as the degree of protection afforded by the alternate devices or structures is not less than the protection offered by the enclosure, gate and latch, described herein. Any owner or occupant of land who maintains a swimming pool in violation of this by-law shall be punished by a fine of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) for each offense and shall be guilty of a separate offense for each separate day on which the swimming pool is permitted to continue in violation of this by-law.”

Article 20. To see if the Town will accept Section 11A of Chapter 85 of the General Laws (“Registration of Bicycles”), or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will adopt a By-law providing that the vote of a Town Meeting to raise Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.) or more for any capital expenditure by incurring indebtedness shall be by ballot at the polls and otherwise regulating relative thereto. The by-law which the Selectmen intend to propose at the meeting by motion, which may be amended at the meeting, will be as follows:

“Any motion made at a town meeting to raise Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.) or more for any capital expenditure by incurring indebtedness shall be voted upon by ballot, at an adjourned session of the town meeting. The town meeting assembled when such motion is made shall fix a date within fourteen days for such adjourned session and shall determine the places and hours for taking the vote at such adjourned session and if such meeting shall fail to fix a date or to determine hours or places for taking such a vote the motion to raise such funds shall fail.”

Article 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to engage a consultant to make a survey of the Police Department, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will accept Section 97A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws (“Police Department in Certain Towns; Establishment, etc.”), or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will accept Section 108L of Chapter 41 of the General Laws (“Career Incentive Pay Program”), or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.



Article 25. To see if the Town will establish a fund to be entitled "Donald M. Keyser Park and Playground Memorial Trust Fund" and authorized to accept gifts to be held and invested under the direction of the Town Treasurer, the income to be available to the Board of Public Works without appropriation by the Town for park and playground purposes, or to take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to surface the new hockey rink at Patton Park, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to provide lights for the tennis courts at Patton Park, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will adopt by a By-law prohibiting or otherwise regulating the possession of alcoholic beverages and firearms on Town, Recreational, School and Park Property within the Town, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto, such by-law to read substantially as follows with changes therein as may be approved at the meeting:

"No person shall have in his possession within the limits of any park or recreation or other town or school area within the town any alcoholic beverage, however contained, or, except in the case of a police or other officer of the law, any firearm. Any person violating this by-law shall be punished by a fine not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20) for each offense."

Article 29. To see if the Town will accept as a public town way the extension of Ortins Road as laid out by the Selectmen and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will accept as a public town way, Gregory Island Road, so-called, as laid out by the Selectmen and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk, and to take by eminent domain the land necessary therefor, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote under Section 27A of Chapter 111 of the General Laws to form a district with Manchester and Essex for the purpose of employing a Health Officer and necessary assistants and clerks, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will transfer from other funds or to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the District formed under Section 27A of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.



Article 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to aid in providing cooperative or complementary facilities to out-patient clinics of Greater Cape Ann Human Services, Inc. of Gloucester, Massachusetts, together with the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health and other cities and towns, said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Board of Health, or take any other action thereon or relative thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-laws Chapter X by adding the following Section 11 thereto:

"Any person required to be kept in the Town Lock-up, shall pay all expenses, necessary for his or her keep, including room, board and other incidentals, necessary, while confined; to the Town, at rates set by the Board of Selectmen, less any amounts received as a contribution from the State for such purpose, under Mass. General Laws Chapter 40 Section 36, and any amendments, thereto. These charges shall also include the cost of necessary attendants; or take any other action pertaining thereto," as petitioned by Robert C. Hagopian and others.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to grant permission to the Disabled American Veterans - Department of Massachusetts and the General George Patton, Jr., Chapter #58, D.A.V. of Hamilton to erect a statue and suitable memorial in tribute and in honor of Masconomet, Chief of the Agawams and the First Indian Chief in America to adopt Christianity, over 313 years ago, and his Squaw Sachem, at their gravesite on Sagamore Hill, which was given to the Town by Judge Standish Bradford, to remind all future generations of the important contributions made by American Indians to our early settlers and country, and to put the Indian back into his rightful place at Thanksgiving, at no expense to the Town; or take any other action relating thereto, as petitioned by Robert C. Hagopian and others.

Article 36. To act on any matter that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one in the Town Hall, and one at each of the Post Offices in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this tenth day of January A.D., 1972.

WILLIAM F. MacKENZIE  
LAWRENCE R. STONE  
GEORGE H. RICKER  
Selectmen of Hamilton

## REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

	1971	1972
<b>FINANCE AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE</b>		
Expenses	\$ 35.00	\$ 40.00
<b>SELECTMEN</b>		
Salary of Chairman	1,500.00	1,500.00
Selectmen's Salaries	2,300.00	2,300.00
Expense	4,000.00	4,000.00
Clerk's Salary	1,492.00	1,500.00
	<hr/> 9,292.00	<hr/> 9,300.00
<b>TOWN ACCOUNTANT</b>		
Salary	9,084.00	10,028.00
Secretary	5,557.00	6,585.00
Expenses	1,200.00	1,200.00
Salary Reserve	735.00	—
Stenographer-Clerk	4,000.00	4,000.00
	<hr/> 20,576.00	<hr/> 21,813.00
<b>TREASURER</b>		
Salary - at the rate of \$4,100.00 annually	3,804.00	4,066.00
Expense	750.00	750.00
	<hr/> 4,554.00	<hr/> 4,816.00
<b>TAX COLLECTOR</b>		
Salary	3,984.00	4,166.00
Expense	1,750.00	2,000.00
Office Equipment	450.00	—
	<hr/> 6,184.00	<hr/> 6,166.00
<b>ASSESSORS</b>		
Salary of Chairman and Clerk - at the rate of \$4,400.00 annually	4,200.00	4,366.00
Assessors' Salaries	2,800.00	2,800.00
Expense	1,200.00	1,550.00
Wages - Part Time	3,000.00	3,000.00
	<hr/> 11,200.00	<hr/> 11,716.00
<b>TOWN COUNSEL</b>		
Salary	2,475.00	2,500.00
Expense	750.00	750.00
	<hr/> 3,225.00	<hr/> 3,250.00

## TOWN CLERK

Salary - at the rate of \$3,150.00 annually	2,854.00	3,124.00
Expenses	2,150.00	2,150.00

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	5,004.00	5,274.00
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## PERSONNEL BOARD

Expenses	100.00	100.00
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## PLANNING BOARD

Expenses	1,500.00	500.00
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## APPEAL BOARD

Salary - Chairman	500.00	500.00
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Expenses	100.00	100.00
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	600.00	600.00
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## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Registrars' Salaries	240.00	240.00
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Expenses	4,000.00	4,000.00
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	4,240.00	4,240.00
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## TOWN HALL

Salary	5,616.00	5,998.00
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Expense	3,500.00	3,500.00
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Repairs	3,000.00	3,000.00
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Salary Reserve	387.00	—
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	12,503.00	12,498.00
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## TOTAL OF GENERAL GOVERNMENT

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	79,013.00	80,313.00
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## PROTECTION PERSONAL PROPERTY

	1971	1972
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## POLICE

Salary of Chief	9,116.00	10,873.00
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Expenses	7,200.00	7,500.00
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Salaries - Reg. Officers	59,120.00	70,697.00
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Salaries - Res. Officers	10,400.00	10,830.00
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Salary Reserve	8,840.00	—
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Uniforms by Requisition	1,200.00	1,200.00
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Court Duty - Part Time	600.00	800.00
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Equipment	—	1,500.00
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Lock-up Staff	—	500.00
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	96,476.00	103,900.00
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## FIRE

Salary of Chief	1,183.00	1,200.00
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Salary and Wages	7,000.00	7,289.00
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Expenses	7,000.00	7,000.00
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Conferences	—	50.00
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	15,183.00	15,539.00
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POLICE AND FIRE STATION		
Maintenance	3,500.00	3,500.00
FORMER FIRE STATION		
Maintenance	750.00	750.00
REPORT CENTER		
Salary of Supervisor	6,032.00	6,650.00
Wages of Dispatchers	15,642.00	17,599.00
Expenses	4,500.00	4,500.00
Wages - Extra Help	2,000.00	2,100.00
Salary Reserve	1,143.00	—
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	29,317.00	30,849.00
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES		
Salary	250.00	250.00
Expense	200.00	200.00
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	450.00	450.00
BUILDING INSPECTOR		
Salary	1,644.00	1,680.00
Expenses	500.00	500.00
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	2,144.00	2,180.00
ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR		
Salary	1,100.00	1,100.00
Expenses	350.00	350.00
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	1,450.00	1,450.00
DOG OFFICER		
Salary and Wages	900.00	900.00
Expenses	900.00	900.00
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	1,800.00	1,800.00
ANIMAL INSPECTION		
Expenses	140.00	140.00
CIVILIAN DEFENSE		
Expenses	100.00	100.00
CONSERVATION COMMISSION		
Expenses	1,000.00	1,000.00
GAS INSPECTOR		
Salary	1,150.00	1,150.00
Expenses	75.00	75.00
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	1,225.00	1,225.00

## PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Salary	1,150.00	1,150.00
Expenses	75.00	75.00

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	1,225.00	1,225.00
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TOTAL PROTECTION PERSONAL  
PROPERTY

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	154,760.00	164,108.00
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## HEALTH AND TOWN BENEFITS

## HEALTH

Chairman	230.00	230.00
Salaries	120.00	120.00
Expenses	4,572.00	4,572.00

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	4,922.00	4,922.00
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## STREET LIGHTING

	18,000.00	18,500.00
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## VETERANS BENEFITS

Administration	5,651.00	6,114.00
Expenses	37,000.00	50,000.00

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	42,651.00	56,114.00
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## LIBRARIES

Librarian	7,182.00	8,649.00
Assistant Librarian	4,700.00	5,322.00
Clerk Wages	6,543.00	7,120.00
Sick and Vacation Provision	600.00	539.00
Custodian Salary	2,106.00	2,281.00
Expenses	8,048.00	7,298.00
Maintenance	3,400.00	3,400.00
Salary Reserve	1,098.00	—

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	33,677.00	34,609.00
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## RETIREMENT FUND

	41,715.00	44,504.00
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## COUNCIL ON AGING

Recreation Day Trips	500.00	500.00
Expenses	1,150.00	1,150.00

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	1,650.00	1,650.00
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## YOUTH COMMISSION

	1,500.00	1,500.00
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## TOTAL HEALTH AND TOWN BENEFITS

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	144,115.00	161,799.00
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## PUBLIC WORKS ENTERPRISES

	1971	1972
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS		
Public Works Commissioners	500.00	500.00
Salary of Superintendent	9,904.00	10,843.00
Salary - Clerk	4,720.00	5,630.00
Expenses	600.00	600.00
Salary Reserve	246.00	—
	<hr/> 15,970.00	<hr/> 17,573.00
SANITATION		
Garbage contract	20,000.00	20,000.00
Rubbish contract	35,500.00	35,500.00
Dump Wages and Maintenance	9,500.00	8,500.00
	<hr/> 65,000.00	<hr/> 64,000.00
HIGHWAYS		
Wages of Foreman	6,691.00	6,975.00
Wages and Overtime	43,476.00	48,836.00
Expenses	17,500.00	17,500.00
Sand and Road Oil	5,000.00	5,000.00
Snow Removal	20,000.00	20,000.00
Salary Reserve	2,964.00	—
Sidewalk Maintenance	—	500.00
	<hr/> 95,631.00	<hr/> 98,811.00
RECREATION - PARK		
Salaries - Instructors	8,000.00	7,082.00
Wages	12,064.00	13,993.00
Expenses	8,000.00	9,200.00
Additional Labor	2,500.00	2,500.00
Salary Reserve	792.00	—
	<hr/> 31,356.00	<hr/> 32,775.00
WATER		
Wages	19,638.00	22,318.00
Overtime	2,500.00	3,000.00
Expenses	13,500.00	15,500.00
Extension of Mains	—	5,000.00
Salary Reserve	1,338.00	—
	<hr/> 36,976.00	<hr/> 45,818.00



## CEMETERY

Wages	6,032.00	8,863.00
Clerk Salary	570.00	570.00
Wages and Overtime	2,000.00	—
Expenses	800.00	800.00
Salary Reserve	405.00	—
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TOTAL CEMETERY	9,807.00	10,233.00
Less - Credit from Perpetual Care of Lots Fund	—	5,000.00
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Net Cemetery	9,807.00	5,233.00

## INSECT AND PEST CONTROL

Wages	2,900.00	3,040.00
Elms	900.00	900.00
Expenses	1,200.00	1,200.00
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	5,000.00	5,140.00

## TREE

Wages	3,200.00	3,350.00
Expenses	1,200.00	1,200.00
Planting Trees	1,000.00	1,000.00
Hired Equipment	250.00	250.00
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	5,650.00	5,800.00

TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS ENTERPRISES	265,390.00	275,150.00
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## EDUCATION

1971                      1972

## HAMILTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Administration	28,350.00	28,260.00
Instruction	773,118.00	819,758.00
Other services	74,570.00	82,752.00
Operation and Maintenance	97,690.00	102,465.00
Acq. of Assets	18,155.00	15,272.00
Prog. a/c		
Other Dist.	2,650.00	2,000.00
Fixed Charges	105.00	125.00
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Total Education	994,638.00	1,050,632.00
Less Credit to Inst. of PL874 and 864	5,500.00	7,000.00
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Net Education	989,138.00	1,043,632.00

## HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DIST.

Administration	20,620.00	19,854.00	
Instruction	478,004.00	499,751.00	
Other services	54,881.00	63,287.00	
Operation and Maintenance	51,549.00	52,756.00	
Fixed Charges	22,522.00	23,954.00	
Equipment Outlay	9,573.00	7,416.00	
Total Operating Cost		637,149.00	667,018.00
Less Other Income		56,753.00	66,400.00
Net Local Operating Cost		580,396.00	600,618.00
Capital Payments		62,234.00	59,027.00
Total		642,630.00	659,645.00
TOTAL OF EDUCATION		1,631,768.00	1,703,277.00

## MISCELLANEOUS

	1971	1972
UNCLASSIFIED		
Town Reports	4,500.00	3,600.00
Memorial Day	1,200.00	1,200.00
Town Clock	400.00	400.00
Insurance	19,000.00	19,000.00
Reserve Fund	20,000.00	—
Group Insurance	22,000.00	22,000.00
Town Clock Repairs	1,200.00	—
	68,300.00	46,200.00
MATURING DEBT & INTEREST		
Maturing Debt	81,000.00	54,500.00
Interest	25,000.00	22,200.00
	106,000.00	76,700.00
TOTAL BUDGET	\$2,449,346.00	\$2,507,547.00

## REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

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To the Citizens of Hamilton:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41, of the General Laws, I submit herewith my report for the year ending December 31, 1971, showing the amount and source of all receipts, the amount of appropriations and expenditures therefrom, purposes of expenditures, town indebtedness, condition of trust funds and a balance sheet.

Although the law provides that such statement shall be in accordance with classification prescribed by the director of accounts, I have further extended the classification of expenditures to make such information readily available to those who desire it. Any additional information will be gladly given to all residents of the town by calling at the office.

I extend my sincere appreciation to all for any assistance rendered me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE  
Town Accountant

## RECEIPTS

### TAXES

Previous years:	
1968 Personal	\$ .24
1969 Personal	8.16
1970 Personal	1,319.19
1969 Real Estate	1,036.00
1970 Real Estate	36,758.27
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	\$ 39,121.86
Current Year:	
1971 Personal	\$ 71,693.44
1971 Real Estate	1,782,807.37
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	\$1,854,500.81
Total Taxes	\$1,893,622.67

### LICENSES AND PERMITS

Alcoholic Beverages:	
Package Store:	
All Alcoholic (3)	\$ 1,200.00
Wine and Beer (1)	200.00
Restaurant:	
All Alcoholic (2)	900.00
Club:	
All Alcoholic (2)	600.00
One Day Beer & Ale	2.00
Other Licenses and Permits:	
Common Victualler	14.00
Second Hand Articles	2.00
Motor Vehicle Dealer	30.00
Amusement Device	60.00
Pistol Permits	70.00
Firearms I.D. Permits	102.00
Ice Cream Mfg.	5.00
Milk Licenses	11.00
Auctioneer	4.00
Taxi	10.00
Electrical Permits	805.75
Building Permits	1,489.00
Gas Permits	401.00
Plumbing Permits	470.00
Swimming Pool Permits	55.00
Sewerage Permits	1,427.00
Sewerage Installers	130.00
Sewage Transportation	10.00
Raffle License	10.00
Food Service Applications	35.00
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Total Licenses and Permits	\$ 8,042.75

### GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State:	
State Valuation Basis	\$ 37,533.03
School Aid Chap. 70	236,859.00
School Transportation	17,470.58
Vocational School	425.00
School Tuition	1,038.00

Regional School Aid	37,266.73
Federal Aid School Projects	25,980.77
School Construction	12,540.54
Public Library Aid	1,372.00
Loss of Taxes - State Land	2,068.80
Snow Plowing	1,603.50
Chap. 90 Const.	2,717.69

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From County:		
Dog Tax Refund	\$	968.39
Chap. 90 Const.		1,358.85
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Total Grants and Gifts		\$379,202.88

### PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle Excise:	
1965	\$ 36.30
1966	145.28
1967	12.46
1968	31.70
1969	127.20
1970	38,279.09
1971	147,629.35
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Total Privileges	\$186,261.38

### PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Sealers Fees	\$	176.20
Court Fines		265.00
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Total Protection Persons and Property	\$	441.20

### HEALTH ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Garbage and Refuse Collections	\$	525.00
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### VETERANS BENEFITS

From State:		
Assistance	\$	19,740.81

### SCHOOLS

Tuition - Other Towns	\$	5,500.00
Rentals		130.00
Misc. Sales		247.25
Property Damage Refunds		82.00
Public Law 874		

Total Schools	<hr/>	\$ 5,959.25
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### LIBRARY

Fines	\$	920.06
Book Replacement		73.49
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Total Library	\$	993.55

**PARK DEPARTMENT**

Swimming Pool Receipts      \$    397.53

**WATER DEPARTMENT**

Meter Rates                      \$ 62,261.75  
 Services                          2,701.18  
 Liens                              1,578.30  
 Hydrant Water                  225.60  
 Installation Supv.              90.00

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 Total Water                      \$ 66,856.83
**CEMETERY**

Care of Lots and Graves      \$    260.00  
 Interments                      840.00  
 Sale of Lots and Graves      1,925.00  
 Foundations                    100.00

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 Total Cemetery                \$    3,125.00
**INTEREST**

On Deferred Taxes            \$    1,506.94  
 On Deferred Excise           235.33  
 Accrued on Loan              151.54  
 Cash Investment Accounts    2,183.36

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 Total Interest                \$    4,077.17
**REFUNDS**

Departmental                \$    365.11  
 Blue Cross Adjustments      76.92

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 Total Refunds                \$    442.03
**AGENCY AND TRUSTS**

State Withholding Taxes      \$ 36,649.19  
 Federal Withholding Taxes    147,926.80  
 Retirement Deductions       16,641.63  
 Group Insurance Deductions   21,083.53

Group Insurance Retiree  
 Contributions                      1,531.95  
 Dog Licenses for County       2,531.90  
 Sale of Stray Dogs               56.00  
 School Professional Dues       3,621.82  
 School Tax Annuities           15,740.00  
 Cemetery Perpetual Care       2,950.00  
 Cemetery Flower Funds

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 Total Agency and Trusts      \$248,732.82
**MISCELLANEOUS**

Anticipation of Revenue:  
 Loans                              \$1,100,000.00  
 Town of Manchester:  
 Lieu of Taxes                    10,665.33  
 Wenham Share  
 Report Center                  14,464.92  
 Blue Cross  
 Experience Credit              9,976.00  
 Salem 5c Savings Bank  
 Experience Credit              1,129.98  
 Telephone Commissions       124.67  
 Sale of Publications           576.50  
 Sale of Obsolete Prop.        536.00  
 Municipal Lien Cert.          660.00  
 Loans Authorized              49,500.00  
 Guard Rail Damage            60.04  
 Law Enforcement Grant       695.00  
 Performance Bid Deposit      5,000.00  
 Bid Deposit Forfeiture        50.00  
 Cemetery Perpetual Care  
 Income                            3,138.77  
 Damage Cemetery Fence       1,600.00  
 Premium on Loan               32.85  
 School Cafeteria               67,270.87  
 Cash Investment Accts.       48,000.00

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 Total Miscellaneous          \$1,313,480.93

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 Total Receipts                \$4,131,901.80

## EXPENDITURES 1971

## SELECTMEN

Salaries:	
William F. MacKenzie	\$ 1,500.00
Lawrence R. Stone	1,150.00
George H. Ricker	1,150.00
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	\$ 3,800.00
Expenses:	
Clerical	\$ 1,492.00
Advertising	125.00
Office Expense and Telephone	518.17
Hearing, Meetings and Conferences	1,063.70
Surveying	724.00
Preambulating Bounds	268.00
Street Lines	1,023.40
Street Signs	410.35
Youth Comm. Expense	40.00
Historic District Study Committee	105.00
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	\$ 5,769.22
Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 9,569.62

## ACCOUNTING

Salaries:	
Francis H. Whipple	\$ 9,545.66
Helen R. Boyles	6,050.45
Anita M. Quinn	2,800.85
Others	701.45
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	\$ 18,098.41
Expenses:	
Association Dues and Meetings	\$ 127.20
Office Supplies, Postage, etc.	485.20
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	\$ 612.40
Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 18,710.81

## TREASURER

Salary:	
Everett F. Haley, Treasurer	\$ 3,804.00
Expenses:	
Association Dues	\$ 16.00
Office Supplies, Postage, etc.	738.28
Surety Bond	151.00
Clerical Assistance	40.00
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	\$ 945.28
Total Salary and Expenses	\$ 4,749.28

## TAX COLLECTOR

Salary:	
George H. Dawe, Collector	\$ 3,984.00
Expenses:	
Association Dues and Meetings	\$ 53.20
Office Supplies, Postage, etc.	1,729.20
Surety Bond	260.00
Clerical Assistance	150.00
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	\$ 2,192.40
Total Salary and Expenses	\$ 6,176.40

## ASSESSORS

Salaries and Wages:	
Robert H. Chittick	\$ 4,200.00
Cornelius J. Murray, Jr.	1,400.00
Robert H. Brooks	1,400.00
Elizabeth Newborg	2,649.86
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	\$ 9,649.86

Expenses:	
Meetings and Association Dues	\$ 90.00
Office Supplies, Postage, Telephone, etc.	845.96
Transportation	263.84
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	\$ 1,199.80
Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 10,849.66

## LAW

Salary:	
Standish Bradford	\$ 618.75
Harold M. Willcox	1,600.00
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	\$ 2,218.75
Expenses	6.71

Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 2,225.46
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## TOWN CLERK

Salary:	
Francis H. Whipple	\$ 2,854.00
Expenses:	
Postage, Supplies, Telephone, Equip.	\$ 1,950.10
Association Dues, Meetings	220.65
Deeds and Abstracts	240.00



Surety Bond	10.00	Expenses:	
Transportation	180.00	Telephone	\$ 752.71
		Electricity	555.99
	\$ 2,600.75	Fuel Oil	1,436.62
Total Salary and		Maint. and Repair	134.33
Expenses	\$ 5,454.75	Supplies and Equipment	600.25
		Water	13.00
<b>ELECTION AND REGISTRATION</b>			
Registrar's Salaries:			\$ 3,492.90
George Morrow	\$ 35.00	Special Repairs:	
Guy Alleruzzo	60.00	Painting	\$ 147.00
Edward DeWitt	60.00	Repairs	1,018.00
Francis H. Whipple	60.00		
	\$ 215.00	Total Salaries and	\$ 1,165.00
Expenses:		Expenses	\$ 9,159.38
Printing and Supplies	\$ 712.19		
Annual Listing	562.75	<b>POLICE</b>	
Election Workers	357.50	Salaries and Wages:	
Clerical Work	480.00	Edward Frederick, Chief	\$10,202.40
Police, Janitors	79.50	Robert Poole, Inspector	9,438.00
Meals	74.25	Lester Charles, Sgt.	9,224.40
Amplifier System	175.00	Richard Moore	9,249.30
State Census	1,669.25	George Rioux	8,939.34
	\$ 4,110.44	Edward Hopping	8,868.60
Total Salaries and		Russell Sanford	8,325.50
Expenses	\$ 4,325.44	William MacKenzie, Jr.	2,394.25
		Thomas Mullins	7,974.57
<b>FINANCE COMMITTEE</b>			
Association Dues	\$ 35.00	Robert Smith	4,347.50
		Orman Richards	1,959.60
<b>PLANNING BOARD</b>			
Expenses:		Clarence Trepanier	2,234.00
Association Dues	\$ 57.00	Russell Smith	1,143.20
Clerical Assistance	40.00	Edward Fielding, Jr.	368.80
Advertising	141.75	Walter Cullen	980.00
Planning Board Maps		George Dixon	470.80
(Conservancy District)	1,018.00	Edward Fielding, III	241.92
Office Supplies	70.91		
			\$ 86,362.18
Total	\$ 1,327.66	Court Attendance	727.85
		Total Salaries and	
<b>APPEAL BOARD</b>			
George C. Beckett,		Wages	\$ 87,090.03
Chairman	\$ 500.00	Expenses:	
Expenses	100.00	Telephone	\$ 503.61
		Electricity	69.05
Total	\$ 600.00	Office Supplies and	
		Equipment	747.03
<b>PERSONNEL BOARD</b>			
Association Dues	\$ 20.00	Supplies and Equipment	536.72
Office Supplies	24.75	Training Expense	72.25
		Photographer	75.47
Total	\$ 44.75	Witness and Prisoner Expense	122.01
		Car Expenses	4,066.85
<b>TOWN HALL</b>			
Salaries:		Transportation	524.25
Russell Smith	\$ 3,637.48	Insurance	477.15
Robert Pray	864.00		
	\$ 4,501.48	Uniforms	\$ 7,194.39
			\$ 1,149.20
		Total Salaries and	
		Expenses	\$ 95,433.62

Cruiser-Ambulance Purchase:	
Advertisement for Bids	\$ 9.00
Purchase of Vehicle	2,475.00
Total Cruiser Purchase	\$ 2,484.00

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Salaries and Wages	\$ 5,176.15
Expenses:	
Telephone	\$ 813.72
Truck and Equipment	
Expense	1,368.84
Supplies and Equipment	3,699.15
Association Dues	30.00
Training	27.00
Insurance	1,040.49
	\$ 6,979.20

Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 12,155.35
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Ladder Truck Purchase:	
Truck	\$ 4,000.00
Repair and Equipment	1,020.71

Total Ladder Truck	\$ 5,020.71
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**MAINTENANCE FIRE AND POLICE BUILDING**

Electricity	\$ 1,069.50
Fuel Oil	1,404.74
Equipment and Supplies	461.54
Domestic Gas	90.77
Water	24.00
Maintenance and Repairs	195.25

Total	\$ 3,245.80
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**ALTERATIONS FIRE AND POLICE BUILDING**

Architect's Fees	\$ 1,000.68
W. K. Rust, Contractor	6,795.15
Consultant Fee	200.00
Oil Burner	146.52
Electrical Contract	1,295.00
Cell Door Locks	146.20

Total	\$ 9,583.55
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**MAINTENANCE OF FORMER FIRE STATION**

Fuel Oil	\$ 589.66
Electricity	74.24

Total	\$ 663.90
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**EMERGENCY REPORT CENTER**

Salaries and Wages:	
Regina Manthorn	\$ 6,232.96
Jean Austin	5,005.20
Joseph Austin, Jr.	5,270.87
Patricia Eldridge	2,463.40

Eleanor Mascara	2,052.10
Madelyn Liberti	1,926.90
Mary Mansfield	656.44
Rita Finney	1,271.96
Others	218.80

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\$ 25,098.63

Expenses:	
Equipment Maintenance and Repair	\$ 818.00
Telephone	3,387.89
Office Supplies and Equipment	260.45

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\$ 4,466.34

Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 29,564.97
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**SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

Salary:	
George Dixon, Sealer	\$ 250.00

Expenses:	
Meetings, Transportation, Supplies	\$ 200.00

Total Salary and Expenses	\$ 450.00
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**BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Salary:	
Benjamin A. Dodge	\$ 1,644.00

Expenses:	
Supplies and Equipment	\$ 32.85
Transportation	467.12
	\$ 499.97

Total Salary and Expenses	\$ 2,143.97
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**ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR**

Salary:	
Robert T. Brown	\$ 1,100.00

Expenses:	
Supplies, Postage, etc.	\$ 179.20
Transportation	27.30

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\$ 206.50

Total Salary and Expenses	\$ 1,306.50
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**DOG OFFICER**

Wages:	
Charles Kearsey	\$ 731.20
Carl Weaver	72.00
	\$ 803.20

Expenses:		
Supplies and		
Transportation	\$	115.45
Confining Dogs		740.00
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	\$	855.45
Total Wages and		
Expenses	\$	1,658.65

**ANIMAL INSPECTOR**

Salary:		
William Walsh	\$	100.00
Transportation and Expense		40.00
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Total Salary and		
Expense	\$	140.00

**CIVIL DEFENSE**

Expenses:		
Supplies and Equipment	\$	861.19
Auxiliary Police		319.75
Insurance		47.00
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Total Expenses	\$	1,227.94

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Expenses:		
Association Dues	\$	35.00
Conferences and Meetings		32.00
Survey		75.00
Supplies and Equipment		413.47
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Total Expenses	\$	555.47

**GAS INSPECTOR**

Salary:		
Thomas Mullins	\$	1,150.00
Expenses:		
Association Dues	\$	20.00
Mileage, Office Supplies		35.96
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	\$	55.96
Total Salary and		
Expense	\$	1,205.96

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Salaries:		
Dr. Albert Larchez	\$	38.34
James DeAngelis		191.66
John Lamont		10.00
Dr. Edward Roaf		50.00
Lawrence Ashton		30.00
Ernest Dale		15.00
William Walsh,		
Milk Inspector		50.00
Ernest Romano,		
Sanitary Engineer		815.46
Leo L. Panunzio,		
Registered Sanitarian		2,195.85
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	\$	3,396.31

Expenses:		
Office Supplies and		
Postage	\$	459.25
Visiting Nurse		100.00
Association Dues and		
Meetings		50.94
Clerical Assistance		600.00
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	\$	1,210.19

Total Salaries and		
Expenses	\$	4,606.50

**MENTAL HEALTH AID**

Mental Health Association		
of North Shore	\$	1,250.00

**PLUMBING INSPECTOR**

Salary:		
Thomas Mullins	\$	1,150.00
Expense:		
Transportation and		
Postage	\$	41.40
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Total Salary and		
Expense	\$	1,191.40

**BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS**

Salaries of Commissioners:		
Gordon L. Thompson,		
Chairman	\$	200.00
Donald L. Miller		150.00
Theodore W. Maione		150.00
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	\$	500.00

Superintendent Salary:		
Wallace E. Lane	\$	9,933.65

Stenographer-Clerk Salary:		
Wendy Hanson	\$	4,275.13

Expenses:		
Adv. for Bids	\$	15.20
Office Supplies, Postage,		
Telephone, etc.		82.75
Association Dues and		
Meetings		43.00
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	\$	140.95

Total Salaries and		
Expenses	\$	14,849.73

Equipment Purchases:		
Chassis - Cab and Sander	\$	6,585.00
Sidewalk Snow Plow		5,453.60
Snow Plow		1,580.00
Bucket-Loader		27,638.60
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Total Equipment		
Purchases	\$	41,257.20

## SANITARY LANDFILL STUDY

Alonzo B. Reed,  
Engineering \$ 1,734.76

## INSECT AND PEST

Wages:  
Gerry Morine \$ 574.60

## TREE DEPARTMENT

Wages:  
Douglas Woodman \$ 931.49  
Others 51.40

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\$ 982.89

Expenses:  
Supplies and Equipment \$ 165.18  
Equipment Repair 16.18  
Insurance 294.32  
Equipment Rental 181.40  
Purchase of Trees 710.25

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\$ 1,366.97

Total Wages and  
Expenses \$ 2,349.86

Pruning Elms:  
Equipment Rental \$ 185.00

## SANITATION

Wages:  
Stanley Hushen \$ 4,892.80  
George Dixon 838.00  
Others 30.75

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\$ 5,761.55

Expenses:  
Garbage Contract \$ 20,000.00  
Rubbish Contract 35,500.00  
Dump Maintenance 3,472.41

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\$ 58,972.41

Total Wages and  
Expenses \$ 64,733.96

## HIGHWAY

Wages:  
Charles F. Poole,  
Foreman \$ 6,697.60  
Lewis K. Pierce 7,668.80  
Erby Wooten 7,249.16  
James MacGrath 6,436.80  
Thomas Jones 6,436.80  
Herbert Tobyne 2,616.00  
Peter Perley 6,122.40  
Henry Stelline, Jr. 2,430.40  
Wendell Fuller 674.40  
Craig Boyles 830.25  
Others 757.59

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\$ 47,920.20

## Expenses:

Truck and Equipment  
Expense \$ 4,644.89  
Supplies and Equipment 6,382.04  
Telephone 230.56  
Electricity 161.47  
Fuel Oil 567.86  
Cold Patch 2,851.85  
Sand and Gravel 21.90  
Insurance 1,582.60  
Sweeper Rental 554.00  
Grader Rental 425.50  
Bulldozer Rental 128.00

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\$ 17,551.67

Total Wages and  
Expenses \$ 65,471.87

## CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Hot-Topping \$ 1,466.33

## CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION

Supplies and Equipment \$ 796.57  
Equipment Hire 933.00  
Seeding Slopes 1,762.00  
Street Lines 194.70

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\$ 3,686.27

## PERMANENT PAVING OF STREETS

Hot-Topping \$ 10,010.73  
Sand and Road Oil 5,000.00

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\$ 15,010.73

## SNOW REMOVAL AND SANDING

Equipment Hire \$ 5,900.80  
Wages 4,927.34  
Sand 6,213.85  
Salt 1,879.08  
Equipment Expense 788.48

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\$ 20,049.97

## PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

## Salaries and Wages:

Carl Weaver \$ 7,759.19  
Robert Jones 6,379.48  
Peter Perley 367.65  
Others 439.90

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\$ 14,946.22

## Instructors:

Charles Fogg \$ 1,200.00  
Donna Franson 569.80  
Charles Mons, Jr. 1,003.20  
Kathy Day 360.00  
Jon Janes 257.00  
Beth McCauley 300.30  
Mary Ellen Day 371.70

Dean Snively	200.00
Missy Janes	254.47
Carolyn Schade	241.80
Ann Barker	185.85
David Rigol	756.59
Barbara Ryder	343.19
Bill Burridge	737.35
Others	39.00

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\$ 6,820.25

## Expenses:

Truck and Equipment Expense	\$ 2,466.73
Supplies and Equipment	3,948.98
Electricity	590.27
Telephone	93.07
Fuel Oil	90.19
Insurance	161.79
Water Rates	38.00
Recreation Bus Trips	120.00

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\$ 7,509.03

## Total Wages and Expenses

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\$ 29,275.50

## Truck Purchase

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\$ 3,064.00

## WATER DEPARTMENT

## Wages:

Charles Dolliver	\$ 7,668.80
Clayton Burton	6,876.00
Harvey Saunders	6,436.80
Others	28.35

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\$ 21,009.95

## Overtime Wages:

Charles Dolliver	\$ 15.51
Clayton Burton	837.28
Harvey Saunders	800.15

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\$ 1,652.94

## Expenses:

Electricity	\$ 6,908.13
Telephone	386.86
Supplies and Equipment	3,966.31
Fuel Oil	366.82
Postage, Office Supplies	676.20
Equipment Maintenance	559.38
Insurance	131.29

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\$ 12,994.99

## Total Salaries and Expenses

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\$ 35,657.88

## Extensions of Mains:

Advertising	\$ 81.00
Surveying	789.50
Contract,	
A.B.C. Mulholland	23,496.00

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\$ 24,366.50

## CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

## Wages:

Philip Plummer, Superintendent	\$ 4,774.22
John T. Walke, Clerk	570.00
Herbert Tobyne	3,504.47
Douglas Cann	1,152.04
Others	23.78

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\$ 10,024.51

## Expenses:

Telephone	\$ 50.95
Supplies and Equipment	693.82
Office Supplies	63.49
Insurance	81.50
Water Rates	12.00
Equipment Repair	51.91

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\$ 954.67

## Total Wages and Expense

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\$ 10,979.18

## STREET LIGHTING

## Massachusetts Electric Company

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\$ 17,540.97

## VETERANS' BENEFITS

Cash Payments	\$ 9,923.09
Care Payments	672.90
Hospital and Medical Payments	33,852.07
Food and Utilities	805.27
District Costs	5,777.60

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\$ 51,030.93

SCHOOLS  
ADMINISTRATION

## Salaries and Wages:

Hammond A. Young, Superintendent	\$ 9,840.00
Muriel Afholderback	2,999.33
Joyce MacDiarmid	1,038.00
Marion Seaver	3,194.35
Marion Day	1,332.46
Others	75.63

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\$ 18,479.77

## Expenses:

Association Dues	\$ 246.24
Superintendent Travel	410.04
Office Expense	1,429.30
Meetings and Conferences	446.48
Telephone	406.41
School Committee Expense	224.25
Pre-School Census	550.00
Negotiator	4,985.81

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\$ 8,698.53

## Total Salaries and Expenses

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\$ 27,178.30



## INSTRUCTION

## Salaries and Wages:

Richard Snow, Principal	\$ 16,848.08
Charlotte Baker	10,203.26
Edna Berry	9,086.70
Arthur Burt	7,233.33
Leslie (Chase) Klosowski	6,737.23
Charles Cook	4,442.43
Theresa D'Arche	11,686.34
Paula (Erps) Donovan	7,083.33
Natale Federico	10,209.03
Daniel Kardaris	11,562.56
Scott Dunham	802.00
John Mahoney	7,133.33
John Parkhurst	8,759.75
David Ramsdell	9,416.13
David Sawyer	8,117.76
Peter Smith	8,783.73
Marilyn Twitchell	10,137.40
Charles Vose	7,233.33
Roger Washburn	11,947.64
Carlton Green	1,998.72
Rebecca Shopay	2,612.45
Edmund Dodge, Principal	16,848.08
Glen Rogers, Principal	16,509.60
Patricia Austin	9,163.51
Susan (Brooks) Messinger	8,541.82
Paulinda Chapman	8,541.82
Constance Choomack	7,256.11
Mary Crowley	10,636.98
Esther Goddard	11,978.67
Georgina Hossfeld	7,824.44
Edmund Josephs	10,521.86
Judith LeBlanc	7,328.03
Martha Lewis	11,978.67
Brenda McLean	8,183.13
Paul McLean	9,674.93
Joanne Mattson	7,328.03
Lynda Merrow	8,541.82
John Mingori	9,105.24
Arlyn Post	9,644.85
Patricia Reeves	7,033.33
James Rogers	8,025.48
Mirinda Roy	7,033.33
Jean Winchester	7,033.33
Carol Woodcock	7,328.03
Teacher Aids	76.07
Substitutes	1,184.90
Patricia Bade	7,824.44
Doris Blood	11,686.34
Pamela Buczko	7,328.03
Harriett Erskin	5,756.54
Judith Halpern	8,142.88
Elizabeth Hamilton	9,328.57
Nena Hayes	10,694.05
Marjorie Kiernan	10,589.05
Elizabeth Kimball	7,168.35
Louise Leach	10,019.00
Mary E. Lucey	10,732.87
Marcia Lynch	8,900.56
Leona Mansfield	8,900.56
Susan O'Brien	5,464.04

Nancy Pacenka	7,824.44
Paul Rice	12,198.61
Edith Ross	11,686.34
Sandra Sweeney	8,183.13
Mary Wallace	8,567.48
Harriett Watson	10,707.52
Janice Freelove	1,514.35
Substitutes	1,698.75
William Heitz	12,519.47
Gary Baker	5,707.70
Richard Butterworth	7,033.33
Bonnie Greer	2,648.81
Cheryl Hall	5,135.65
Martha Libby	12,519.47
Rupert Lillie	6,074.39
John Post	5,451.90
Sonja Prior	12,070.06
Faith Slade	6,654.05
Barbara Ziemlack	9,346.24
John Cameron	3,628.13
Robert Lassonde	1,639.94
Thomas McCandless	2,787.26
C. Robert Spienak	1,526.50
Sandra Winters	2,309.56
Ellen Shields	1,220.31
Substitutes	5,491.50
Teacher Aids	7,606.52
Mary Crowell	2,891.17
Jean D'Arcy	3,076.99
Barbara Mederios	3,031.92
Ruth Schultz	327.80
Workshops	1,893.00
Home Teaching	219.00
Coaching	700.00

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\$697,783.16

## Expenses:

Books and Magazines	\$ 14,084.95
Films and T.V. Expense	6,758.93
Tuition Reimbursement	783.75
Meetings and Conferences	1,333.70
Postage	113.59
Domestic Science	233.93
Music Supplies	751.14
Work Shops	563.46
Supplies and Equipment	28,459.61
Shop	1,325.73
Reading Clinic	400.00

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\$ 54,808.79

## Total Salaries and Expenses

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\$752,591.95

## OTHER SERVICES

## Salaries and Wages:

Barbara Washburn, Nurse	\$ 6,036.56
Ellen Sheppard, Cafeteria Manager	3,609.42
Dr. Albert Larchez, School Physician	700.00



Cafeteria Workers	10,673.24
Bus Supervisors	2,698.75
Officials	452.00
Sat. "Y" Program	100.00

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\$ 24,269.97

Expenses:	
Nurse Transportation	\$ 105.00
Regular Transportation	43,025.93
Special Transportation	4,450.80
Music Supplies	2,637.01
Shop Supplies	110.80
Medical Supplies	739.59
Assembly Programs	1,190.15
Sport Supplies	1,597.84
Association Dues	
and Meetings	109.65
Supplies and Equipment	263.63

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\$ 54,230.40

Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 78,500.37
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#### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Salaries and Wages:	
Earle Henderson	\$ 6,358.43
Vernal Pollard	6,492.98
Robert Pollard	5,649.79
Kanstanty Surpitski	6,475.45
Hovey Humphrey	7,216.66
Kenneth Pollock	5,936.13
Summer Maintenance	3,369.60
Others	323.79

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\$ 41,822.83

Expenses:	
Fuel Oil	\$ 19,862.46
Electricity	11,359.96
Domestic Gas	418.43
Telephone	1,208.29
Maintenance and Repair	22,868.49
Water Rates	540.00
Supplies and Equipment	7,541.15

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\$ 63,798.78

Total Wages and Expenses	\$105,621.61
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#### TITLE II ESEA LIBRARY EXTENSION

Supplies and Equipment	\$ 384.39
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#### TITLE II ESEA #210 LIBRARY EXTENSION

Supplies and Equipment	\$ 1,740.46
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#### REPAIR OF JR. HIGH GYM FLOOR

Contract	\$ 11,500.00
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#### FIXED CHARGES

Burglary Insurance	\$ 105.00
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#### PROGRAM WITH OTHER DISTRICTS

Other Cities and Towns	\$ 1,163.90
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#### ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT

New Equipment	\$ 19,953.55
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#### PUPIL SERVICE PROJECT

John N. Cameron	\$ 7,764.95
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#### TITLE I ESEA PROJECT #71-119-245

Pamela Buczko	\$ 1,080.00
Judith Halpern	1,080.00
Carol Marcus	1,080.00
Glen Rogers	1,000.00
Jaunita Jackson	360.00
Supplies	280.00

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\$ 4,880.00

#### CAFETERIA

Salaries and Wages:	
Ruth Butman	820.34
Annie Colontoni	816.88
Mildred Davis	1,002.15
Ellena Foote	1,258.77
Louise MacGregor	1,099.82
Evelyn McGinley	1,173.28
Alberta Sheppard	866.39
Eunice Tarr	432.63
Mildred Tobyne	584.56
Emily Dolliver	598.15
Pauline Greenleaf	140.25
Laura Taylor	685.80
Madelyn Giles	1,011.20
Margaret Dodge	220.80
Others	682.16

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\$ 11,393.12

Expenses:	
Groceries	\$ 49,408.83
Supplies and Equipment	2,920.03
Transportation	47.35
Trucking	885.77
Storage	20.00

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\$ 53,281.98

Total Salaries and Expenses	\$ 64,675.10
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#### TITLE II ESEA PROJECT #72-119-036

Wages:	
Mary E. Bennett	\$ 1,034.25
Constance Prochnak	891.36
Supplies	437.11
Workshop	58.15

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\$ 2,420.87

### REPAIR OF CUTLER SCHOOL DRIVE

Equipment Hire	\$ 1,381.50
Sand and Gravel	109.08
Hot Topping	668.29
Drain Pipe	25.20
Supplies and Equipment	210.44
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	\$ 2,394.51

### REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT PLANNING COMMITTEE

Association Dues	\$ 250.00
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### WINTHROP SCHOOL ADDITION

Architect Fees	\$ 1,878.25
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### HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

Payments to Treasurer	\$642,630.00
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### PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries and Wages:	
Ruth K. Kite, Librarian	\$ 7,412.24
Helen Ashe, Assistant, Librarian	4,809.50
Rose Richards	2,458.10
Doris Clarke	1,720.00
Annette Janes	814.55
Susan Perkins	107.04
Judy Burns	329.28
Jean Day	312.82
Betty Pisani	120.84
Patricia Mori	241.68
Diana Ward	101.76
Debrah Doody	216.28
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	\$ 18,644.09
Expenses:	
Books and Magazines	\$ 8,784.35
Office Supplies, Postage and Equipment	512.88
Story Hour	85.00
Association Dues	15.00
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	\$ 9,397.23

### Maintenance:

Michael DeAngelis, Custodian	\$ 2,244.16
Telephone	181.37
Fuel Oil	1,149.26
Electricity	975.63
Domestic Gas	49.73
Supplies and Equipment	448.09
Maintenance and Repair	224.09
Water Rates	25.00
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	\$ 5,297.33

Total Library, Salaries, Expenses and Maintenance	\$ 33,338.65
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### YOUTH COMMISSION

Basketball	\$ 393.99
Police	48.00
Supplies and Equipment	643.65
Office Supplies, Postage	65.90
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	\$ 1,151.54

### COUNCIL ON AGING

Recreation Bus Trips	\$ 500.00
Harvest Dinner	443.35
Christmas Flowers	63.20
Visitation Program	561.83
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	\$ 1,568.38

### TOWN REPORTS

Printing and Binding	\$ 4,029.89
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### TOWN CLOCK

Winding Clock	\$ 400.00
Repairs	1,200.00
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	\$ 1,600.00

### INSURANCE

Workman's Compensation	\$ 7,204.00
Blanket Insurance	12,612.00
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	\$ 19,816.00

### MEMORIAL DAY

Clan Wallace Pipes and Drums	\$ 300.00
Wm. P. Connery, Jr. Post 6 Band	300.00
Flags	76.00
Grave Markers	40.00
Flowers and Wreaths	192.25
Printing	46.98
Refreshments	106.25
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Total Memorial Day	\$ 1,061.48

### LAND PURCHASE FOR DUMP PURPOSES

Sundry Persons	\$ 3,100.00
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### RETIREMENT FUND

Essex County Retirement Board	\$ 41,714.91
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### GROUP INSURANCE

Employee Deductions	\$ 21,083.53
Retiree Contribution	1,531.95
Town Contribution	22,076.92
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Total Group Insurance	\$ 44,692.40

**TRUST ACCOUNTS**

Cemetery Endowments	\$ 2,950.00
Cemetery, Sale of Graves	1,925.00
Leon E. Bishop, Library Fund Deposited	1,000.00
<b>Total Trust Accounts</b>	<b>\$ 5,875.00</b>

**AGENCY**

Withholding Tax, State	\$ 36,649.19
Withholding Tax, Federal	147,926.80
Retirement Deductions	16,641.63
School Professional Dues	3,621.82
Tax Sheltered Annuities	15,740.00
Dog Licenses	2,531.90
Sale of Dogs	56.00
<b>Total Agency</b>	<b>\$223,167.34</b>

**MISCELLANEOUS**

State Assessments:	
State Parks	\$ 9,851.91
Auditing Municipal Accounts	2,490.66
Met. Area Planning	318.65
Ipswich River Watershed	178.33
M.B.T.A.	44,775.42
Met. Air Pollution Dist.	242.00
Excise Tax Bills	751.65
State Assessment System	254.92
Essex County Mosquito Control	6,638.28

County Tax	71,232.66
Stabilization Fund	8,000.00
Temporary Loans	1,100,000.00
Cash Investment Accts.	48,000.00
Dept. Overpayments	201.82
<b>Total Miscellaneous</b>	<b>\$1,292,936.30</b>

**REFUNDS**

Motor Vehicle Excise	\$ 4,965.09
Real and Personal Tax	2,496.36
Water Rates	51.20
Interest Overpayment	16.25
<b>Total Refunds</b>	<b>\$ 7,528.90</b>

**INTEREST**

Temporary Loans	\$ 15,512.39
School Loans	6,112.00
Municipal Purpose Loan	4,372.50
<b>Total Interest</b>	<b>\$ 25,996.89</b>

**MATURING DEBT**

School Loan	\$ 64,000.00
Municipal Purpose Loan	17,000.00
<b>Total Maturing Debt</b>	<b>\$ 81,000.00</b>
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>\$4,165,595.52</b>

## TRUST FUNDS

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### DR. JUSTIN ALLEN LIBRARY FUND

Savings Bank Deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 1,177.42
Interest added during 1971	66.40
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 1,243.82

### H. AUGUSTA DODGE LIBRARY FUND

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 2,171.63
Interest added during 1971	117.03
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 2,288.66

### MAXWELL NORMAN FUND

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 1,070.96
Interest added during 1971	57.33
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 1,128.29

### CEMETERY SALE OF LOTS AND GRAVES FUND

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$22,741.84
Interest added during 1971	1,172.86
Receipts deposited in Savings Bank	1,925.00
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$25,839.70

### CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE PRINCIPAL FUND

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$56,520.16
Bequests deposited in Savings Bank	2,950.00
Interest added during 1971	2,951.61
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Transfer to Perpetual Care Income Fund	\$62,421.77
	3,138.77
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$59,283.00

**CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE INCOME FUND**

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$26,583.83
Transfer from Perpetual Care Principal Fund	3,138.77
Interest added during 1971	1,489.61
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	\$31,212.21
Withdrawn for Cemetery use	3,138.77
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$28,073.44

**VICTORIA COOLIDGE CEMETERY FUND**

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 1,169.62
Interest added during 1971	65.95
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 1,235.57

**CEMETERY FLOWER FUNDS**

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 1,478.98
Interest added during 1971	78.12
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 1,557.10

**STABILIZATION FUND**

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$76,192.23
Interest added during 1971	4,411.77
Deposited in Savings Bank	8,000.00
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$88,604.00

**JOHN F. NEARY LIBRARY MEMORIAL FUND**

Savings Bank deposits January 1, 1971	\$ 357.33
Interest added during 1971	19.14
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 376.47

**LEON W. BISHOP LIBRARY FUND**

Bequest deposited in Savings Bank	\$ 1,000.00
Interest added during 1971	32.36
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Savings Bank deposits December 31, 1971	\$ 1,032.36

# RECAPITULATION OF DEPARTMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS, REVOLVING ACCOUNTS, TRANSFERS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1971

Account	1/1/71 Balance	Appropriated	Transfers, Refunds and Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/71
		\$	\$	\$	\$
Selectmen Salaries		3,800.00		3,800.00	
Clerical		1,492.00		1,492.00	
Expenses		4,000.00	300.00T	4,277.62	22.38
Accountant Salary		9,084.00	461.66T	9,545.66	
Secretary		5,557.00	493.45T	6,050.45	
Clerical		4,000.00		3,502.30	497.70
Expenses		1,200.00		612.40	587.60
Treasury Salary		3,804.00		3,804.00	
Expenses		750.00		945.28	12.72
Collector Salary		3,984.00	208.00T	3,984.00	
Expenses		2,200.00		2,192.40	7.60
Assessors Salaries		7,000.00		7,000.00	
Wages		3,000.00		2,649.86	350.14
Expenses		1,200.00		1,199.80	.20
Law Salary		2,475.00		2,218.75	256.25
Expenses		750.00		6.71	743.29
Town Clerk Salary		2,854.00		2,854.00	
Expenses	455.42	2,150.00	19.35R	2,600.75	24.02
Election & Registration		4,240.00	135.00T	4,325.44	49.56
Finance Committee		35.00		35.00	
Planning Board		1,500.00		1,327.66	172.34
Planning Board Study Comm.		100.00			100.00
Appeal Board		600.00		600.00	
Personnel Board		100.00		44.75	55.25
Town Hall Salary		5,616.00		4,501.48	1,114.52
Expenses		3,500.00		3,492.90	7.10
Repairs	1,765.87	3,000.00		1,165.00	3,600.87



Police Chief Salary	9,116.00	1,086.40T	10,202.40
Regular Wages	59,120.00	5,299.90T	64,419.90
Part Time Wages	10,400.00	1,492.98T	11,892.98
Court Duty	600.00		574.75
Expenses	7,200.00		7,194.39
Uniforms	1,200.00		1,149.20
Cruiser-Ambulance Purchase	2,500.00		2,484.00
Fire Chief Salary	1,183.00		1,183.00
Wages	7,000.00		3,993.15
Expenses	7,000.00		6,979.20
Aerial Ladder Purchase	10,000.00		5,020.71
Maint. Police & Fire Bldg.	3,500.00		3,245.80
Alterations Police & Fire Sta.	2,517.83		2,772.03
Maint. Former Fire Station	9,637.71		9,583.55
Emergency Center Supv. Sal.	750.00		663.90
Wages	6,032.00	200.96T	6,232.96
Expenses	17,642.00	1,223.67	18,865.67
Sealer Salary	4,500.00		4,466.34
Expenses	250.00		250.00
Building Inspector Salary	200.00		200.00
Expenses	1,644.00		1,644.00
Animal Inspector	500.00		499.97
Electrical Inspector Salary	140.00		140.00
Expenses	1,100.00		1,100.00
Gas Inspector Salary	350.00		206.50
Expenses	1,150.00		1,150.00
Plumbing Inspector Salary	75.00		55.96
Expenses	1,150.00		1,150.00
Dog Officer Wages	75.00		41.40
Expenses	900.00		803.20
Civil Defense	900.00		855.45
Conservation Comm.	100.00		1,227.94
	3,375.74		555.47
	1,000.00		444.53

Accounts	1/1/71 Balance	Appropriated	Transfers, Refunds and Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/71
Board of Health Salaries		350.00		335.00	15.00
Expenses		4,572.00		4,271.50	300.50
Mental Health Assn.		1,250.00		1,250.00	
Board of Public Works Salaries		500.00		500.00	
Supt. Salary		9,904.00	29.65T	9,933.65	444.87
Clerk Steno. Salary		4,720.00		4,275.13	459.05
Expenses		600.00		140.95	1,361.40
Tractor-Loader Purchase		29,000.00		27,638.60	266.04
Garbage & Refuse Disposal		9,500.00		9,233.96	
Garbage & Ref. Disp. Contracts		55,500.00		55,500.00	
Sanitary Land Fill Study			1,775.00T	1,734.76	40.24
Insect Pest Control Wages		2,900.00		574.60	2,325.40
Expenses		1,200.00			1,200.00
Pruning Elms		900.00		185.00	715.00
Tree Foreman Salary		3,200.00		982.89	2,217.11
Expenses		1,200.00		656.72	543.28
Maint. & Renewal		1,000.00		710.25	289.75
Hired Equipment		250.00		185.00	65.00
Highway Foreman Salary		6,691.00	6.60T	6,697.60	
Wages		43,476.00		41,222.60	2,253.40
Expenses		17,500.00	86.01R	17,551.67	34.34
Sand & Road Oil		5,000.00		5,000.00	
Paving of Streets		10,010.73		10,010.73	
Truck and Plow Purchase		6,500.00		6,001.00	499.00
Equip. Purchase	7,490.00			2,164.00	5,326.00
Sidewalk Snow Plow		5,500.00		5,453.60	46.40
Chap. 90 Maint.		1,000.00	500.00T	1,466.33	33.67
Chap. 90 Const.					
1970	3,178.59			2,911.45	267.14
1971		5,250.00	15,750.00T	774.82	20,225.18

Snow Removal & Sanding	20,000.00	228.00R	20,049.97	178.03
Street Lighting	18,000.00		17,540.97	459.03
Park & Recreation Wages	12,064.00	581.82	12,645.82	
Instructors	8,000.00		6,820.25	1,179.75
Other Wages	2,500.00		2,300.40	199.60
Expenses	8,000.00		7,509.03	490.97
Truck Purchase	4,000.00		3,064.00	936.00
Park Building	46,138.38			46,138.38
Water Department Wages	19,638.00	1,371.95	21,009.95	
Overtime Wages	2,500.00		1,652.94	847.06
Expenses	13,500.00		12,994.99	505.01
Ext. of Mains	8,530.00		24,366.50	1,363.50
Water Study Committee	500.00			500.00
Cemetery Dept. Foreman Salary	6,032.00		4,774.22	1,257.78
Clerk's Salary	570.00		570.00	
Wages	2,000.00	2,680.29T	4,680.29	
Expenses	800.00	154.67T	954.67	
Improvements	642.97			642.97
Veterans Benefits	42,651.00	8,382.50T	51,030.93	2.57
School Administration	28,350.00		27,178.30	1,171.70
Instruction	767,618.00	5,500.00T	752,591.95	9,523.32
Other Services	74,570.00	3,930.37T	78,500.37	
Operation & Maint.	97,690.00	7,931.61T	105,621.61	
Programs Other Dist.	2,650.00		1,163.90	1,468.10
Fixed Charges	105.00		105.00	
Acquisition Fixed Assets	18,155.00	1,798.55T	19,953.55	4,416.49
Cafeteria	1,820.72	67,270.87Rec.	64,675.10	1,551.29
Athletics	1,551.29			13,048.06
Fed. Aided Prog.	9,757.96	25,980.77Rec.	22,690.67	
Repair Jr. High Floor	11,500.00		11,500.00	
Cutler School Drive	5,000.00		2,394.51	2,605.49
Winthrop Addition	2,788.45		1,878.25	910.20

Accounts	1/1/71 Balance	Appropriated	Transfers, Refunds and Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/71
Needs Study Comm.	243.39				
Regional School		642,630.00		642,630.00	243.39
Dist. Planning Comm.		250.00		250.00	
Library, Librarian Salary		7,182.00	230.24T	7,412.24	
Asst. Librarian Salary		4,700.00	109.50T	4,809.50	
Clerks Wages		6,543.00		6,422.35	120.65
Custodian Salary		2,106.00	138.16T	2,244.16	
Sick & Vacation		600.00			600.00
Expenses		8,048.00	1,372.00T	9,397.23	30.82
Maintenance		3,400.00	( 8.05R )	3,053.17	346.83
Memorial Day		1,200.00		1,061.48	138.52
Town Reports		4,500.00		4,029.89	470.11
Town Clock		400.00		400.00	
Town Clock Repairs		1,200.00		1,200.00	
Youth Commission		1,500.00		1,151.54	
Council on Aging		1,150.00		1,068.38	
Council on Aging Bus Trips		500.00		500.00	
Insurance		19,000.00	816.00	19,816.00	348.46
Reserve Fund		20,000.00	11,600.00T		81.62
Salary Reserves		17,948.00	12,726.94		
Acquiring Dump Property	3,470.00			3,100.00	8,400.00
Interest		25,000.00		25,996.89	5,221.06
Maturing Debt		81,000.00		81,000.00	370.00
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## TRANSFERS

### BY ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

FROM	TO	
Excess & Deficiency	Revenue	\$91,000.00
Excess & Deficiency	Stabilization Fund	8,000.00
State Aid to Libraries	Library Expenses	1,372.00
Sale of Land & Bldgs. Acct.	Laying Water Mains	8,530.00
Assessors Maps & Appraisal	Paving of Streets	1,700.00
Ext. Water Mains, Moulton St.	Paving of Streets	1,810.73

### BY FINANCE COMMITTEE

Reserve Fund	Land Fill Study	\$ 275.00
” ”	Veteran's Benefits	8,366.00
” ”	Treasury Expenses	208.00
” ”	Election & Regist.	135.00
” ”	Insurance	816.00
” ”	Dump Study	1,500.00
” ”	Selectmen Expenses	300.00
Salary Reserve	Various Salary & Wages Accts.	17,948.00

### BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Public Law 874	School Instruction	5,500.00
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# Town of Hamilton BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1971

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS

### ASSETS

Cash: \$247,933.88  
General 40,000.00  
Investments

### Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:  
Levy of 1968: 18.00  
Personal Property 643.50  
Real Estate  
Levy of 1969: 248.08  
Personal Property 3,130.31  
Real Estate  
Levy of 1970: 804.16  
Personal Property 3,524.52  
Real Estate  
Levy of 1971: 2,989.36  
Personal Property 34,664.13  
Real Estate

### Motor Vehicle Excise:

Levy of 1966: 92.95  
Levy of 1967: 20.90  
Levy of 1968: 426.26  
Levy of 1969: 529.94  
Levy of 1970: 737.08  
Levy of 1971: 16,236.06

### Special Taxes:

Demolition of Buildings 250.00  
Tax Titles 1,388.75  
Departmental:  
Veterans' Services 12,886.25  
Cemetery 33.00

### LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Guarantee Deposits: \$ 5,000.00  
Rubbish Collection  
Tailings: 567.71  
Unclaimed Checks  
Trust Fund Income: 1,072.59  
Cemetery Perpetual Care  
Federal Grants: \$ 11,184.44  
Public Law #81-874 1,863.62  
Public Law #85-865

Revolving Funds: 13,048.06  
School Lunch 4,416.49  
School Athletics 1,551.29

### Appropriation Balances:

Revenue: 5,967.78  
General 49,183.88  
Water: 1,863.50  
Construction and Extension  
Non-Revenue: 910.20  
School Construction 46,138.38  
Municipal Building Construction 7,822.09  
Equipment 3,103.17  
Water Pumping Station  
Overestimates 1971: 109,021.22  
State Assessments: 2,026.73  
Recreation Areas  
Massachusetts Bay 524.58  
Transportation Authority 438.10  
Ipswich River Water Shed 5,744.33  
County Tax



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## DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:  
 Inside Debt Limit:  
   General  
 Outside Debt Limit:  
   General

	Serial Loans:	
\$169,500.00	Inside Debt Limit:	
	Municipal Buildings	\$50,000.00
	School	70,000.00
105,000.00	Equipment	49,500.00
		\$169,500.00
	Outside Debt Limit:	
	School	105,000.00
		<u>\$274,500.00</u>

## TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:  
 Cash and Securities:  
   In Custody of Treasurer

	In Custody of Treasurer:	
	Library Funds:	
	Dr. Justin Allen	\$ 1,243.82
	H. Augustus Dodge	2,288.66
	John F. Neary	376.47
	Leon W. Bishop	1,032.36
		\$ 4,941.31
	Cemetery Funds:	
	Maxwell Norman	1,128.29
	Perpetual Care	87,356.44
	Victoria T. Coolidge	1,235.57
	Flower	1,557.10
	Sale of Lots and Graves	25,839.70
	Stabilization Fund	
		117,117.10
		88,604.00
		<u>\$210,662.41</u>

**TOWN OF HAMILTON**  
**BONDED INDEBTEDNESS**  
**December 31, 1971**

Date of Maturity	Municipal Purpose Loan, Fire & Police & Park Buildings 5.25%, Issued 8/15/70	School Construction, Elementary, Bonds 2.90%, Issued 8/1/58	Equipment Purchase Loan, 3.80% Issued 5/1/71	TOTAL
1972	\$15,000.	\$ 25,000.	\$14,500.	\$ 54,500.
1973	15,000.	25,000.	10,000.	50,000.
1974	10,000.	25,000.	10,000.	45,000.
1975	10,000.	25,000.	10,000.	45,000.
1976		25,000.	5,000.	30,000.
1977		25,000.		25,000.
1978		25,000.		25,000.
	\$50,000.	\$175,000.	\$49,500.	\$274,500.

**STATEMENT OF TAX RATE, VALUATION (REAL  
AND PERSONAL) and TAX LEVY FOR THE YEARS  
1929 TO 1971**

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Year	Tax Rate	Valuation	Tax Levy
1929	\$22.70	\$ 5,711,382.	\$ 129,649.54
1930	23.60	5,788,648.	136,613.32
1931	24.70	5,790,487.	143,025.54
1932	23.70	5,852,447.	138,703.59
1933	22.30	5,896,443.	131,490.68
1934	23.80	5,764,536.	137,195.96
1935	28.60	5,725,581.	163,751.62
1936	27.50	5,449,678.	149,866.14
1937	26.70	5,388,069.	143,862.20
1938	25.30	5,487,383.	138,830.79
1939	25.00	5,459,920.	136,498.13
1940	23.80	5,527,226.	131,548.11
1941	23.40	5,593,694.	130,892.44
1942	23.20	5,611,430.	130,185.20
1943	22.00	5,530,325.	121,667.15
1944	22.00	5,550,895.	122,119.69
1945	24.00	5,311,605.	127,478.52
1946	27.00	5,325,260.	143,782.12
1947	31.60	5,706,960.	180,339.95
1948	35.00	5,733,295.	202,644.66
1949	35.00	6,038,280.	212,178.14
1950	38.00	6,323,100.	240,277.80
1951	38.00	6,603,385.	250,928.43
1952	38.00	6,887,205.	261,713.79
1953	42.00	7,377,925.	309,872.85
1954	42.00	8,014,920.	336,626.64
1955	42.00	8,390,985.	352,421.37
1956	43.00	9,073,215.	390,148.38
1957	48.00	9,559,310.	458,846.88
1958	52.00	9,877,015.	513,604.78
1959	56.00	10,203,875.	574,405.00
1960	61.00	10,592,330.	646,132.20
1961	69.00	10,769,375.	743,068.90
1962	81.00	11,177,420.	905,371.02
1963	84.00	11,558,990.	970,955.16
1964	86.00	11,884,350.	1,022,054.10
1965	94.00	12,292,435.	1,155,488.89
1966	83.00	12,731,040.	1,056,676.32
1967	87.00	13,208,940.	1,149,177.78
1968	90.00	13,574,940.	1,221,744.60
1969	28.00	47,176,155.	1,320,932.34
1970	32.00	47,673,930.	1,525,565.76
1971	40.00	48,356,140.	1,934,245.60

REPORT of an AUDIT  
of  
THE ACCOUNTS  
of the  
TOWN of HAMILTON  
for the year 1970

Due to an audit of the accounts of the Town by the State Bureau of Accounts for the year 1970 not being completed in time for printing in the 1970 town report, such report is being printed in the 1971 report.

The audit for the year 1971 will not be completed in time for printing in the town report, therefore, it will be printed in the 1972 report.

FRANCIS H. WHIPPLE

Town Accountant





THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Corporations and Taxation

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Commissioner

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON

Director of Accounts

March 3, 1971

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Mr. William F. MacKenzie, Chairman

Hamilton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Hamilton for the year ending December 31, 1970, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Gordon A. McGill, Assistant Chief of Bureau.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON

Director of Accounts

Mr. Arthur H. MacKinnon  
Director of Accounts  
Department of Corporations and Taxation  
Boston, Massachusetts

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Hamilton for the year ending December 31, 1970, preparatory to a recommitment to the newly-appointed temporary town tax collector, the following report being submitted thereon:

An examination and verification was made of the recorded financial transactions of the town as shown on the books of the departments receiving or disbursing money or committing bills for collection.

The books and accounts in the office of the town accountant were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded, were checked with the records of the several departments making payments to the treasurer and with the treasurer's books, while the recorded payments were checked with the treasury warrants and with the treasurer's cash book. The appropriations and transfers, as recorded on the ledger, were checked with the town clerk's records of town meeting votes and with the finance committee's authorizations of transfers from the reserve fund. A trial balance was taken off, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town as of December 31, 1970.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The receipts, as recorded, were checked with the records in the several departments in which charges originated or in which money was collected for the town, and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury. The payments were compared with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds and with the town accountant's books.

The cash book was footed, and the cash balance on January 6, 1971 was verified by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks of deposit and by actual count of the cash in the office.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were proved by examination of the cancelled bonds and coupons on file and by comparison with the amounts falling due during the period covered by the audit.

The transactions of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were verified, and the savings bank books representing the investment of these funds were examined and listed.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts transferred from the tax levies were verified, and the tax titles on hand were listed and proved with the town accountant's ledger.

The deductions from employees' salaries on account of Federal and State taxes, the county retirement system, group insurance, school association dues, and teachers' annuities, were listed and reconciled with the amounts paid to the proper agencies.

The books and accounts of the town collector were examined and checked. The tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts outstanding at the time of the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitment lists, were audited and compared with the assessors' and other departmental warrants. The recorded receipts were checked with the payments to the treasurer as shown by the treasurer's and the accountant's books, the abatements, as recorded, were compared with the assessors' and other departmental records of abatements granted, the taxes transferred to the tax title account were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the respective controlling accounts in the town accountant's ledger.

The outstanding tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The financial records of the town clerk were examined and checked. The recorded receipts on account of dog and sporting licenses were proved, and the payments to the town treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game were verified.

The available records of departmental cash collections by the board of selectmen, the sealer of weights and measures, and the building, gas, plumbing and wire inspectors, as well as by the police, health, school, library, and cemetery departments, and by all other departments in which money was collected for the town, were examined and checked. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer and the cash on hand in the several departments was proved by actual count.

The surety bonds of the town officials required to file such surety for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, excise, tax title, departmental, and water accounts, together with schedules showing the condition and transactions of the several trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit cooperation was received from the several officials of the town, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON A. MCGILL

Assistant Chief of Bureau

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## In Memoriam

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### GEORGE MORROW

George Morrow, son of John F. and Margaret (Horne) Morrow was born in Hamilton, Massachusetts, June 18, 1909, and a lifelong resident of Hamilton until his passing July 22, 1971.

George always had a deep interest in community affairs, he was appointed a member of the Registrars of Voters in 1956, elected Chairman in 1958, appointed a member of the Fire Department in 1940, an Engineer and Assistant Chief in 1967, all of which positions he held until his passing.

A truly devoted citizen to the community, George will always be remembered as one who always had the interest of the Town at heart and willing to help, aid and assist in any way possible. He will be greatly missed by all.

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**REPORT**

**of the**

**HAMILTON**

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**1971**

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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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Members	Term Expires
James T. Campbell, Chairman, Box 118, South Hamilton	1972
Charles W. Porter-Shirley, Vice Chairman, 263 Linden St., So. Hamilton	1973
Robert E. King, 33 Norman Rd., Hamilton	1974
Dr. Harold D. Moses, 307 Essex St., So. Hamilton	1974
Philip H. Stockford, Secretary, 8 Greenbrook Rd., So. Hamilton	1972

## ADMINISTRATION

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### Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School

Mail Address: 775 Bay Rd., Hamilton, Mass. 01936

Hammond A. Young, B.A., M. Ed., C.A.G.S.	Superintendent of Schools
Marion E. Seaver (Mrs.)	Secretary
Muriel G. Afholderbach (Mrs.)	Bookkeeper
Jean M. Towne	Clerk
Marion O. Day (Mrs.)	Part-time Clerk
Joyce C. MacDiarmid (Mrs.)	Part-time Clerk
Madeline Ricker (Mrs.)	Census

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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### TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

The year just completed was a very busy one and many new and difficult situations confronted the Committee.

This was the first year that the Hamilton Committee had to deal in full scale collective bargaining. Many evenings were spent negotiating with the Hamilton Teachers Association and our respective negotiators. Both sides bargained in good faith and a contract that was fair and equitable to all parties was signed. Under this contract a Committee of Mutual Concern was established to discuss potential problem areas and ways to improve our school system.

During 1971 we took the first steps to implement the PPBE System. This will be a three to five year project to reach full potential. When completed it will allow the Committee, the Finance Committee and all interested persons to get a better idea of where the education dollar goes and what we expect to achieve with it.

One of the more confusing issues of the year was President Nixon's freeze and phase II. At first it appeared to save tax money but later actions wiped out any savings by authorizing retroactive payments.

Several maintenance projects that have been on the "hold shelf" for a few years were completed. We have a new gym floor, and improvement in the plumbing and drainage system at the Hamilton Junior High School. The Cutler School has a new driveway to facilitate the safe loading and unloading of buses.

The planning for the Regional Junior High continued and a decision was made to try for a bond issue in the spring of 1972.

We assure all the people of Hamilton that the Committee puts great effort and spends many hours trying to maintain an excellent school system within the available funds. It is not an easy task to make the right decisions and be fair to all.

It is only with the help and dedication of Hammond Young, Gary Baker, the principals, teachers and aides that we are able to reach most of our goals.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES T. CAMPBELL, Chairman  
CHARLES W. PORTER-SHIRLEY  
ROBERT E. KING  
DR. HAROLD D. MOSES  
PHILIP H. STOCKFORD

Hamilton School Committee

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

I submit herewith my sixth annual report for Pupil Personnel Services:

For the first time, funding for these services has been completely provided by the three local school committees rather than the Federal Title I allowance. Dollars available under Title I, have this year been approved for a special "learning disabilities project." This project is basically diagnostic and tutorial and places emphasis on helping children in the first three grades. At this writing, we have one aide in this federally funded program.

An additional Pupil Services staff member, Mr. Thomas McCandless, is now employed as an "Adjustment Coordinator" in the three Hamilton Schools. Such a position is also being considered for the Wenham Schools.

Last summer's Title I project was for thirty pre-kindergarten, Hamilton and Wenham children and operated at the Cutler School. Growth made by all children in the program was most encouraging and I hope that a similar project will be approved for the summer of 1972.

Vocational-technical type programs and space for future programs of this type should be available for the junior and senior high school age students. This non-academic training seems to be our greatest need.

I wish to thank everyone who has given me any assistance during the past year. Particularly helpful have been the five school principals and their assistants. I look forward to another year of helping the parents and youth of Hamilton and Wenham.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN N. CAMERON  
Director of Pupil Personnel Services

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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### TO THE HAMILTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON:

The Hamilton schools opened the 1971-72 school year with enthusiasm and a positive attitude. The staff allows reasonable freedom for pupils to develop their responsibilities under sensible guidelines and proper restraints. The atmosphere for learning is good.

An area of education in Hamilton that has caused real concern to me is that of vocational education or "career planning." This program should be available for students beginning in grade 7. The students should have required courses in "career planning," in industrial arts and in home economics in grades 7 and 8. Approximately one-half the students should have these courses five to seven periods per week. The remainder of the students should have the courses three to five periods per week. These programs are not possible in the present building. Hamilton should have the building and facilities to offer these educational opportunities which are common programs in other communities.

The heart of the educational offerings — English, history, mathematics, science — are well taught under present conditions today. They could be better taught by the same teachers if there were adequate facilities. A 1932 model of an industrial product or business activity limits many possibilities in business. Modern plants and products are accepted as essential in a modern industry. Is education so different that it can "make do?"

An unusual change has occurred in enrollment. The upper grades (7-12) continue to increase but kindergarten and grade 1 have declined. There were fourteen building starts in 1970, however, 25 building permits have been issued in Hamilton in 1971. For the present, the students can be housed. The question is, is the limited program in some areas the educational program desired in Hamilton?

A new BUILDING for grades 7 and 8 is now a POSSIBILITY on a REGIONAL BASIS at a BARGAIN price on the LOCAL PROPERTY TAX. Never has it previously been possible to have state funds pay 65% of the yearly cost for bonds and interest (plus 5% planning costs because it is a regional district). The reimbursement will be available for at least the next nine months, but may be 50% state support for bonds and interest after October 1972.

I recommend that the regional junior high school question be decided by the voters in the spring of 1972.

A worthwhile exchange of ideas and information has occurred with a group of 20 to 25 citizens each two weeks during this school year. It



is hoped that they have found the sessions as valuable as they have been to the administrators. My thanks is extended to them for their ideas and assistance.

Four major maintenance projects have been completed in 1971; first, the gymnasium floor at the junior high school has been replaced, the first stage of replacing the drainage field for the junior high school sewage system has been done, the front section of the Cutler School gymnasium roof has been resingled and a new and safer driveway was built for the Cutler School. The driveway was built by the competent and cooperative Department of Public Works under the direction of Superintendent Wallace Lane. My sincere thanks are extended to Mr. Lane and his crew and to the Commissioners.

The 1972 budget has been prepared in both the program and line item forms. It has focused attention on the educational program interpreted in dollars by teachers, administrators and school committee. Program budgeting involves many, many hours of planning and interpreting educational needs into dollars. It is worthwhile provided it results in better and more coordinated educational programs and these programs evaluated in terms of goals for children. We believe it will help the educational program.

A new program, supported by Title I funds, has been added to help those children, particularly in the lower grades, who have special learning disabilities. This should provide the help in very specific skills that these pupils need to be competent in the particular areas.

The wage "freeze" caused some concern but was graciously accepted as reasonable if it will slow inflation. At the end of December when this is written to meet the deadline for town report material, there is uncertainty regarding the payment of retroactive salaries from September 1 through November 14. The guidelines for 1972-73 salaries are, at best, hazy! It is important that definite rules be given by the regulating authority in order that a legal salary schedule may be determined. This uncertainty made budgeting difficult.

The assistance of the finance committee, the town staff and the school employees is greatly appreciated. There is personal satisfaction in working with capable, reasonable, dedicated and sincere individuals.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMMOND A. YOUNG

Superintendent of Schools

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

The position of Director of Curriculum has changed and expanded since it was first started in 1968. Originally the position involved just five goals: (1) To coordinate curriculum between the Hamilton and Wenham Schools, grades K - 12; (2) To determine the strengths and weaknesses of the curriculum; (3) To propose and help implement new curriculum programs in order to overcome weaknesses in the curriculum; (4) To propose and help implement in-service teacher education and curriculum development workshops; (5) To propose, write, and help implement projects funded by non-local sources.

Added to the above goals have been such responsibilities as writing the School Newsletter and other school publications or written releases; directing the implementation of Hamilton's Planning - Programming - Budgeting System; participating in School Committee sub-committees' work; helping with cooperative programs with other school systems and miscellaneous assistance to the school administrators. Although such activities are worthwhile they cut down on the time available for the achievement of the original goals.

The implementation of the Planning - Programming - Budgeting System (PPBS) has been my major task for the Hamilton schools. The first Program Budget was prepared this year for the School Committee and Finance Committee. It involved the development of goals, present status reports, proposed changes and cost breakdowns for each of the 38 programs. Principals and teachers put a great deal of time and thought into this.

As the explanation of PPBS in the Program Budget states "... the relationships between program goals, resources to accomplish the stated goals and costs of the resources are determined. With experience, an evaluation component will be added to the system in order to determine the degree to which the program's goals were achieved. Planning will then be done in light of evaluation results so that there will be a continual development and improvement of programs.

"Citizens are rightly concerned about both the effectiveness and costs of school programs. PPBS is designed to better answer the questions which rise out of their concerns. It will also allow School Committee members and educators to make better informed decisions, decisions which are based upon the ultimate effect a program change, educational or financial, has on students.

New programs were begun this year in: social studies, grades 2-5 (The Social Sciences: Concepts and Values); grade 7 social studies ("Principles of Geography through the study of Latin America, Asia and Africa"); Health and Family Education in grades 2, 5, and 8; the federally funded Title I "Learning Disabilities Program" proposed and funded for \$12,800 and the federally funded Title I summer program "Kindergarten Screening and Orientation". Both Title I programs have been great successes and it is proposed that they be continued and expanded.

Workshops for teachers in social studies, health and family education, reading, open education, and writing performance objectives in mathematics have been held and others, particularly in science and parent communications, are being planned.

Planning for the regional junior high school which is so needed by our students continues.

I would like to express again my very great appreciation for the continual support I have received from you and all concerned with education in Hamilton.

Respectfully submitted,

GARY G. BAKER

Director of Curriculum

## REPORT OF THE MANASSEH CUTLER SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

Four hundred eighty-three students entered the Cutler School this fall. These children were enrolled in five kindergartens, six first grades, six second grades and three third grades. Seven children are presently participating in our trainable class program.

**Building Utilization** — All classrooms within the school building are in full time use. The fact that one of our kindergarten teachers meets with a class for only half the day means that this classroom is free for other uses in the afternoon. This classroom is used for our federally funded Title I Learning Disabilities class. Our stage still houses our special class. We have been able to create a small study room in a supply room by moving some bookcases and constructing a wall. This is being used for our speech class and by our Pupil Personnel Services staff when it is available. Our volunteer aides program is now in its third year and is providing useful and worthwhile service in assisting pupils and teachers. We also are working with students from Project Adventure. The individuals participating in these two programs I feel deserve much credit for the time and energy they devote to the Cutler School.

Our professional and non-professional staff at the Cutler School is one of our strongest assets. The goal we have worked toward is that of establishing and maintaining a positive and friendly atmosphere within our school building so that all those involved and associated with it can work productively and comfortably.

**Curriculum and Programs** — This year we have expanded our Health and Family Living course to the second grade and in addition to this we have updated and revised our grade two social studies program. All curriculum areas are being continually evaluated. This year we have developed a reporting to parents which the teaching staff feel is much more meaningful for children, parents, and teachers. It involves more two-way communication and more of an opportunity for parents to obtain clarification of marks and comments on their child's individual progress report.

**Building Maintenance** — This summer we were able to paint the interior of every classroom in the school. Spot painting was accomplished on the outside of the building. A new shingled roof was added over the front portion of the cafeteria. Our new driveway makes the loading and unloading of buses much more safe and efficient.

Next year I would recommend that most of our painting and summer maintenance be concerned with the outside of the Cutler building. I would also recommend that the old driveway be resurfaced as it is beginning to break up. To provide for safer entrance and exit to school a sidewalk should be constructed to run parallel with the new driveway. Beyond these recommendations I feel the Cutler School should require no large maintenance projects for this next year.

Again, as in every year past, I would like to thank all the people of the town of Hamilton who have helped to create and maintain the many fine programs we have. A good staff and worthwhile programs cannot be maintained without all of us working together.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN R. ROGERS

Principal



## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

This past September 338 students reported to the Hamilton Junior High as compared with 320 in the fall of 1970. This figure represents an increase of 5% over last year's enrollment. While the elementary grades in Hamilton show a decrease over the past few years, the junior high continues to show an average increase of about 5%. Obviously these newcomers are transfer students from other school systems and probably reflect the fact that the new families moving into town are more established in life and have children of older school age than those who have resided here in the past.

Innovations in the curriculum this year include a new program in seventh grade social studies in which the underdeveloped areas of the world (Asia, Africa and South America) are studied with the accent on a geographical approach. The eighth grade science program, which in the past few years has featured a student inquiry approach for the top academic groups, has now been expanded to include all sections.

The Art program has been enhanced with the introduction of two new units in silk screening and ceramics. Additional periods in the group guidance program have been added. Instruction in this course covers among other things, such relevant topics as drugs, alcohol, tobacco, school orientation, and high school planning.

Math and English classes were scheduled this year in some cases so that students could meet with sections that were more commensurate with their ability than has been the case in the past. This desirable type of scheduling can be done on a limited basis due to the number of students and teachers now available. Counseling services for students have been increased this year with the hiring of additional personnel.

The Health and Family Living program which was successfully inaugurated last year in the seventh grade is being continued with the hopes of expanding the course into the eighth grade.

In the effort to keep the plant facilities, which in many areas are barely adequate, in a state of reasonable repair, a program of summer maintenance was continued in which rooms and corridors were painted and minor repairs made to ceilings and floors. The gymnasium floor was replaced making this facility, which has seen increased use by both school and town agencies, a safer and more efficient area. The sewerage system



which had shown dramatic signs of failing, has been renovated and restored.

In an attempt to help individual students with their specific problems, programs in which the services of high school students through the auspices of Project Adventure, has been utilized. Special help has also been made available with the introduction of a Title I program for disadvantaged youth.

Once again with the addition of the individualized instructional programs coupled with the increased counseling time available, the on-going need for adequate nursing quarters, music practice areas and conference rooms, the lack of space which the present building cannot provide, becomes more evident and frustrating.

While the shortcomings presented by the lack of facilities hamper the Junior High program to a large degree, the over-all spirit of cooperation and interest which is manifested by yourself, the staff, the students and the townspeople continue to make the educational process both satisfying and rewarding.

Respectfully submitted

RICHARD C. SNOW

Principal

## REPORT OF THE WINTHROP SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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TO: SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

The Winthrop School continues to be an active and interesting learning center for the 505 students who are currently enrolled.

The number of students in our Grades 3-6 here is about 20 fewer than were on our rolls during the last school year. With 20 regular classrooms, this gives us a very desirable average class size of 25 pupils. These students were taught this year by the same staff as last year. For the first year in many, there were no staff changes. It is presently anticipated that the single Grade 6 at the Jr. High School will be located at the Winthrop School in September of 1972. At the same time, a Grade 3 will be moved back to Cutler School.

New report cards were introduced this year in Grades 3-6. It is hoped that the card and the conference with the teacher were meaningful to parents and children. An evaluation of the system will be made during the current school year to determine the direction for next year.

The majority of the children are grouped for reading and math at their grade level. A child's homeroom teacher does not necessarily instruct him in those two areas. However, in Grade 4 this year, there are three self-contained classrooms in which pupils receive all basic lessons from a single teacher.

Continued efforts are made to use varying teaching techniques in helping children. In addition to the printed word, children are afforded many opportunities to hear, to see, to do and to touch.

In the area of curriculum, the Health and Family Education Program was extended into the fifth grade. In addition, a new Social Studies program was introduced in some grades 3-5. Our music program continues to be an integral part of our curriculum. There are opportunities for participation in the beginning instrumental program, a band, Grades 4 and 5 Chorus, Grade 6 Chorus (both with Orff instrument accompaniment) and a recorder group. Further, a comprehensive general music program is offered in every classroom for every child.

The addition of a hot-top basketball court has been helpful on our playground. A backboard and tether balls for all students have also provided play opportunities during free time.

Building space, in terms of small spaces, continues to be a problem. We use a closet, a corner, a stage, an office for helping groups of two or three children in certain areas.

An attempt has been made to get parents into our school by activities and programs. Further, it is our desire to let parents know that they are welcome to visit the school or to be in contact with us by any convenient means.

It is my sincere feeling that every person who works or volunteers in the school makes a significant contribution to some facet of the school's objectives. To each of them, I express my appreciation.

Beyond this, I thank you and everyone associated with the task of educating Hamilton's children.

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND E. DODGE

Principal

## HAMILTON SCHOOL DISTRICT 1972 BUDGET SUMMARY

	1970	1971	1972	Change	
Administration					
Fees & Expenses	\$ 2,150	\$ 6,600	\$ 4,150	\$—2,450	
Central Office Expenses	20,277	21,750	24,110	2,360	
	<u>\$ 22,427</u>	<u>\$ 28,350</u>	<u>\$ 28,260</u>	<u>—90</u>	(— .32%)
Instruction	672,800	773,118	819,758	46,640	( 6.03%)
Other School Services	62,990	74,570	82,752	8,182	(10.09%)
Plant Operation & Maint.	84,165	97,690	102,465	4,775	( 4.88%)
Fixed Charges	125	105	125	20	(19.0% )
Acquis. of Fixed Assets	11,800	18,155	15,272	—2,883	(—15.8%)
Program with Other Districts	3,050	2,650	2,000	—650	(—24.5%)
Budget Totals	<u>\$857,357</u>	<u>\$994,638</u>	<u>\$1,050,632</u>	<u>\$+55,994</u>	( 5.6% )
Less Credit to Instruction PL874	2,300	5,500	7,000		
Budget Totals After Deducting PL874	<u>\$855,057</u>	<u>\$989,138</u>	<u>\$1,043,632</u>	<u>\$54,494</u>	( 5.5% )

**Cost Analysis (estimate)**  
**Appropriation less State and Other Reimbursements**  
**for Hamilton Public Schools**

Returned to town (Estimated)

	1970	1971	1972 Estimates
Unexpended Budget	\$ 5,829	\$ 2,000	\$ 10,000
Commonwealth of Mass:			
General School Fund Ch. 70	382,000	250,000	275,000
Spec. Regional Aid	57,000	47,000	50,000
Transp. - Regular	12,500	14,000	15,000
Transp. - Vocational	100	100	100
Tuition - Vocational	600	400	400
Special Class	3,900	5,000	5,500
Speech Class	1,000	2,000	2,500
Tuition - Special Class	2,700	5,000	5,000
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	\$465,629	\$325,500	\$363,500
Net Local Tax Cost (est.)	\$404,037	\$663,638	\$680,132
		+\$16,494	

There are no special warrant articles for the school in 1972 with a savings of \$16,500 from the 1971 cost.

## HAMILTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## 1972 BUDGET

	1971	1972	Change
Administration			
School Committee Expenses	\$ 500	\$ 690	\$ 190
Membership - NESDEC; MASC	550	550	0
Census	550	550	0
Negotiating Fee	5,000	2,000	—3,000
Secretary - School Committee	0	360	360
Superintendent's Salary	9,840	10,450	610
Supt.'s Travel (In-State)	410	410	0
Supt's Travel (Out-of-State)	150	150	0
Secretarial Salaries	8,950	10,700	1,750
Supplies and Postage	1,000	1,000	0
Office Telephone	800	800	0
Contingency	600	600	0
TOTAL	\$ 28,350	\$ 28,260	\$ —90 — .32%

## Instruction

Principal's Salaries - Elem.	\$ 35,335	\$ 37,200	\$ 1,865
Principal's Salary - Jr. High	17,668	18,700	1,032
Clerks' Salaries - Elem.	6,825	7,600	775
Clerk's Salary - Jr. High	3,200	3,800	600
Office Supplies	800	800	0
Salaries - Elem.	385,000	406,000	21,000
Salaries - Jr. High	159,800	166,000	6,200
Special Teachers	85,000	99,000	14,000
Substitutes	4,500	4,800	300
Staff Travel (In-Out-of-State)	750	700	—50
Matching Funds (Tuition)	1,800	1,600	—200
Elementary Teacher Aids	7,360	8,200	840
Contingency	4,500	4,500	0
Curriculum Work	2,750	3,000	250
Educational TV	1,000	1,000	0
Audubon Science	1,500	1,500	0
Workshop Expenses	850	1,200	350
Home Teaching	700	700	0
Textbooks - Winthrop	4,250	3,200	—1,050
Textbooks - Cutler	3,860	3,200	—660
Textbooks - Jr. High	4,500	1,500	—3,000
Rebinding Books	250	550	300
Professional Books	100	100	0



Supplies	9,250	9,500	250
Supplies	8,000	8,000	0
Supplies	10,570	10,170	—400
Library Books	650	800	150
Library Books	1,500	1,500	0
Library Books	1,000	1,000	0
Audio-Visual	1,600	1,000	—600
Audio-Visual	900	1,200	300
Audio-Visual	1,100	1,100	0
Testing and Guidance	1,050	1,100	50
Guidance (Director Pupil Service)	4,000	8,388	4,388
Testing and Guidance	800	750	—50
Testing and Guidance	400	400	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$773,118</b>	<b>\$819,758</b>	<b>\$ 46,640</b> 6.03%

### Other School Services

Attendance	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ 0
School Physician	1,900	2,000	100
Nurse	6,300	6,700	400
Medical Supplies and Travel	700	900	200
Transportation (Incl, J.H. 7,750)	45,000	44,752	—248
Educational Trips	2,200	2,000	0
Safety Supervisor	0	3,000	3,000
Bus Supervisors - Kindergarten	2,730	3,000	270
Athletic Transportation	860	850	—10
Transportation - Trainable Class	1,500	1,400	—100
Transportation - Trainable Summer	305	300	—5
Transportation - Educable Class	200	700	500
Cafeteria Supervisor	4,200	4,250	50
Cafeteria Supplies	2,500	6,000	3,500
Athletic Supplies and Equipment	1,400	1,400	0
Officials and Operation	425	450	25
"Y" Program	200	200	0
Music	2,000	2,500	500
Music	1,000	1,000	0
Music	1,000	1,000	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 74,470</b>	<b>\$ 82,752</b>	<b>\$ 8,182</b> 10.9%

### Operation and Maintenance of Schools

Custodians' Salaries	\$ 13,300	\$ 14,200	\$ 900
Custodians' Salaries	12,500	13,600	1,100
Custodians' Salaries	12,500	13,600	1,100
Custodians' Extra Time	600	500	—100
Custodians' Supplies	1,800	1,800	0

Custodians' Supplies	1,400	1,600	200
Custodians' Supplies	1,500	1,500	0
Fuel	4,400	4,800	400
Fuel	5,700	6,000	300
Fuel	4,500	5,000	500
Electricity	3,200	3,400	200
Electricity	6,000	6,000	0
Electricity	3,100	3,200	100
Gas	150	150	0
Gas	200	200	0
Water	180	180	0
Water	180	180	0
Water	180	180	0
Telephone	900	950	50
Telephone	400	425	25
Maintenance - Building	10,000	10,000	0
Maintenance - Building	7,000	7,000	0
Maintenance - Building	8,000	8,000	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 97,690</b>	<b>\$102,465</b>	<b>\$ 4,775</b> 4.88%

## Fixed Charges

Burglary Insurance	\$ 105	\$ 125	\$ 20
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## Acquisition of Equipment

Equipment - NDEA	\$ 500	\$ 500	\$ 0
Equipment	5,300	6,000	700
Equipment	8,355	5,072	—3,283
Equipment	2,500	2,500	0
Cafeteria Equipment	1,500	1,200	—300
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 18,155</b>	<b>\$ 15,272</b>	<b>\$—2,883</b> —15.88%

## Program With Other Districts

Vocational	\$ 1,600	\$ 800	\$ —800
Adult Education	1,050	1,200	150

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,650</b>	<b>\$ 2,000</b>	<b>\$ —650</b> —24.52%
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<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$994,638</b>	<b>\$1,050,632</b>	<b>\$ 55,994</b> 5.6%
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Less Credit for PL874 Funds	5,500	7,000	
	<b>\$989,138</b>	<b>\$1,043,632</b>	<b>\$ 54,494</b> (5.5%)

## HAMILTON PROGRAM BUDGET SUMMARY - 1972

	1972		Per Cent
7.1 School Committee		\$ 4,150	.39%
7.2 General Management		24,110	2.29%
7.3 Building Management		86,714	8.25%
7.4 Instruction		710,090	67.56%
7.4.1 English Language Arts	\$253,633		
7.4.2 Foreign Language (Jr. High)	7,840		
7.4.3 Art	40,338		
7.4.4 Music	48,022		
7.4.5 Industrial Arts (Jr. High)	8,875		
7.4.6 Home Economics	12,447		
7.4.7 Social Studies	77,260		
7.4.8 Science	65,275		
7.4.9 Mathematics	96,464		
7.4.10 Health and Family Education	13,705		
7.4.11 Physical Education	34,087		
7.4.12 Special Education	26,080		
7.4.13 Library	1,939		
7.4.14 Audio-Visual	3,650		
7.4.15 General Curriculum	11,475		
7.4.16 Home Teaching	700		
7.4.17 Teacher Aids	8,200		
7.4.18 Professional Books	100		
7.5 Instructional Support		113,615	10.82%
7.5.1 Testing and Guidance	19,300		
7.5.2 Attendance	150		
7.5.3 Medical	9,600		
7.5.4 Transportation	53,200		
7.5.5 Cafeteria	11,450		
7.5.6 Athletics (Jr. High)	6,305		
7.5.7 "Y" Program (Jr. High)	200		
7.5.8 Extra Curricular Activities	1,350		
7.5.9 Substitutes	4,800		
7.5.10 Staff Travel	700		
7.5.11 Matching Funds	1,600		
7.5.12 Rebinding Books	460		
7.5.13 Contingency	4,500		
7.6 Operation and Maintenance of Building		102,465	9.76%
7.7 Fixed Charges		125	.02%
7.8 Equipment		7,363	.70%
7.9 Programs with Other Districts		2,000	.20%
GRAND TOTALS		\$1,050,632	

## PUBLIC LAW 874 REVOLVING FUND

BALANCE January 1, 1971	\$ 5,333.00
RECEIPTS during 1971	7,193.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12,526.00</b>
1971 Transferred to Instruction	5,500.00
BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 7,026.00

## CAFETERIA REVOLVING FUND

BALANCE January 1, 1971	\$ 1,820.72
RECEIPTS during 1971	67,270.87
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 69,091.59</b>
EXPENDED during 1971	64,675.10
BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 4,416.49

## ATHLETIC REVOLVING FUND

BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 1,551.29
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## NDEA 864 REVOLVING FUND

BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 413.86
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PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES TITLE I  
FEDERAL FUNDS PROJECT #7 119 091

BALANCE, January 1, 1971	\$ 2,176.95
RECEIPTS during 1971	5,588.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 7,764.95</b>
EXPENDED during 1971	7,764.95
BALANCE, December 31, 1971	none

TITLE I ESEA SUMMER PROJECT #70-110-225  
DIAGNOSTIC AND TUTORIAL SERVICES

BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 18.95
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TITLE I ESEA #71-110-245 EDUCATION OF  
CHILDREN FROM LOW INCOME FAMILIES

RECEIVED during 1971	\$ 4,880.00
EXPENDED during 1971	4,880.00
BALANCE, December 31, 1971	none

**TITLE II ESEA #72-119-036**

RECEIVED during 1971	\$ 6,401.00
EXPENDED during 1971	2,420.87
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BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 3,980.13

**TITLE II ESEA #70-155-119**  
**BUREAU OF LIBRARY EXTENSION**

BALANCE, January 1, 1971	\$ 384.39
EXPENDED during 1971	384.39
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BALANCE, December 31, 1971	None

**ESEA TITLE II PROJECT #210**  
**BUREAU OF LIBRARY EXTENSION**

RECEIVED during 1971	\$ 1,918.77
EXPENDED during 1971	1,740.46
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BALANCE, December 31, 1971	\$ 178.31

Hamilton Elementary Hamilton Students of Regional		1969 - MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE																Grades K - 12 and Special Trainable			
		Age																			
Grade	Kdgr.	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total	
1	22	126	4	127	11	1														152	
2		24	18	108	23	117	1													163	
3						16	1													143	
4						117	15													155	
5						17	125	35	3	1										181	
6							19	93	9											121	
7								12	124	17										153	
8								2	14	106	14	1								137	
9									1	27	117	26								171	
10											13	103	11							127	
11											1	27	100	18	2					148	
12												1	20	91	17					129	
Train- able Spec.														18	90	15	4	1		128	
				1		1		1		1										4	
						1		1	2	3	2	4		1						15	
Totals	22	150	150	142	153	161	144	153	155	147	162	131	128	109	15	4	1			1,927	



Hamilton Elementary Hamilton Students of Regional		1970 - MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE																Grades K - 12 and Special				
		Age																				
Grade		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Ttls.		
Kdg.		27	105	1	132	19														133		
1			17																	168		
2				23	122	13	1													159		
3				15	107	21	1													144		
4						23	113	12												149		
Spec.						1	2													14		
5							15	118	22	2	3	2			1					155		
6								24	114	13										151		
7									13	127	18									158		
8									2	12	100	22		1						137		
9											33	110	23							166		
10												19	90	12						121		
11													20	97	22	4				143		
12														17	94	21				132		
Totals		27	122	171	249	58	132	154	154	154	154	153	133	127	117	25				1,930		

Hamilton Elementary Hamilton Students of the Regional		1971 - MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE																	Grades K - 12 and Special Class				
		Age																					
Grade	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Ttls.				
Kdg.	14	87	2	6															103				
1		25	100	131	17														131				
2			16	22	117	15	1												164				
3					12	91	14	1											155				
4																			118				
Spec.					2	1	2		1	3	2	2	1						14				
	5					29	103	13	1										146				
6							14	119	21		1								155				
7							1	27	114	9	1								152				
8									18	126	17								161				
9										11	106	20	1						138				
10											33	109	22						164				
11												18	91	11					120				
12													25	96	18	2			141				
Totals	14	112	118	159	148	136	135	160	155	149	160	149	140	107	18	2			1,862				

## SCHOOL CENSUS AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1971

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	Boys	Girls
Number between five and seven years of age	128	134
Number between seven and sixteen years of age	762	672
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<b>TOTALS</b>	890	806
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<b>TOTAL CENSUS</b>		1,696

### Distribution of Above Minors, October 1, 1971

In the Public Day School	1,622
In Vocational School	0
In Private School	72
In State or County Institutions or Special Schools For Defective Delinquents	1
Not Enrolled in Any Day School	1
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<b>TOTAL</b>	1,696

## SCHOOL STAFF DIRECTORY

### HAMILTON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Name	Subject	Appt.	Yr. Exp.	Degrees
Snow, Richard C.	Principal	1958	24	B.S., M.Ed., C.A.G.S.
Baker, Charlotte A.	English	1964	8	A.B.
Berry, Edna L. (Mrs.)	Home Economics	1957	15	B.S.
Burt, Arthur N.	Social Studies & Guid.	1970	2	B.A.
D'Arche, Theresa M.	Reading	1956	18	B.A., M.Ed.
Donovan, Paula R. (Mrs.)	French	1970	2	A.B.
Dunham, Scott X.	Science	1971	3	B.S.
Federico, Natale	Physical Education	1955	28	B.S.
Green, Carlton E.	Industrial Arts	1971	2½	B.S.
Heitz, William E.	Grade 6	1960	15	B.A., M.Ed.
Kardaris, Daniel T.	Math	1963	9	B.S., M.Ed.
Mahoney, John J.	Social Studies	1970	2	B.A.
Parkhurst, John T.	English	1966	6	B.Ed.
Ramsdell, David R.	English	1966	6	B.S., M.Ed.
Sawyer, David W.	Math	1969	3½	B.S.
Shopay, Rebecca L. (Mrs.)	Science	1971	5	B.S.
Twitchell, Marylyn L.	Physical Education	1962	10	B.S.
Vose, Charles D.	Math & Science	1970	2	B.S.
Washburn, Roger W.	Social Studies	1961	11	B.S., M.Ed.

### WINTHROP SCHOOL

Dodge, Edmund E.	Principal	1959	20	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Austin, Patricia D. (Mrs.)	Grade 6	1968	5	B.A., M.Ed.
Chapman, Paulinda	Grade 4	1966	6	B.A.
Choomack, Constance (Mrs.)	Grade 6	1969	3	B.S.
Crowley, Mary E. (Mrs.)	Grade 3	1962	14	B.S.
Goddard, Esther A. (Mrs.)	Grade 5	1952	38	B. Equiv.
Hossfeld, Georgina S.	Grade 3	1968	4	B.S.
Josephs, Edmund	Special Class	1962	11	B.S.
LeBlanc, Judith V. (Mrs.)	Grade 5	1969	3	B.S.
Lewis, Martha B. (Mrs.)	Grade 6	1957	19	B.S.
McLean, Brenda L. (Mrs.)	Grade 4	1967	5	B.S.
McLean, Paul T.	Grade 6	1967	5	B.S., M.Ed.
Mattson, Joanne E.	Grade 4	1969	3	B.A.
Merrow, Lynda J.	Grade 4	1968	6½	B.S.
Messinger, Susan B. (Mrs.)	Grade 5	1966	6	B.S.
Mingori, John R.	Grade 5	1966	6	B.S.
Post, Arlyn M. (Mrs.)	Grade 4	1969	9	B.S.
Reeves, Patricia D. (Mrs.)	Grade 4	1970	2	B.A.
Rogers, James K.	Grade 5	1968	4	B.S.
Roy, Miranda J. (Mrs.)	Grade 3	1970	2	B.S.
Winchester, Jean M.	Grade 5	1970	2	B.A.
Woodcock, Carol P. (Mrs.)	Grade 6	1969	3	B.A.

## CUTLER SCHOOL

Rogers, Glenn R.	Principal	1961	11	B.S., M.Ed.
Buczko, Pamela	Grade 2	1970	2½	B.S.
Bade, Patricia A. (Mrs.)	Grade 1	1968	4	B.S.
Blood, Doris M.	Grade 2	1964	22	A.B., M.A.
Erskine, Harriet P.		1946	26	
Freelove, Janice W. (Mrs.)	Kindergarten	1971	11	B.S.
Halpern, Judith A. (Mrs.)	Grade 1	1970	4	B.S.
Hamilton, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	Special Class	1968	7	B.S., M.Ed.
Hayes, Nena (Mrs.)	Grade 1	1952	23	B.S.
Kiernan, Marjorie W. (Mrs.)	Grade 3	1964	19	B.S.
Leach, Louise E. (Mrs.)	Grade 2	1963	21	
Lucey, Mary E.	Grade 2	1949	24	B.S.E., M.Ed.
Lynch, Marcia A.	Grade 1	1965	7	B.S.
Mansfield, Leona C. (Mrs.)	Kindergarten	1967	6	B.S.
O'Brien, Susan M.	Grade 2	1970	2	B.S.
Pacenka, Nancy E. (Mrs.)	Grade 3	1969	4	B.S.
Rice, Paula A. (Mrs.)	Kindergarten	1964	12	B.S., M.Ed., M & 30
Ross, Edith M.	Grade 2	1963	22	B.S., M.Ed.
Sweeney, Sandra E. (Mrs.)	Grade 2	1967	5	B.S.
Wallace, Mary G. (Mrs.)	Grade 1	1970	12	B.S., M.Ed.
Watson, Harriet S. (Mrs.)	Grade 1	1955	25	B. Equiv.

## SPECIAL TEACHERS

Bennett, Mary E.	Learning Disabilities	1971	1	B.S.
Butterworth, Richard J.	Physical Education	1970	2	B.S.
Lassonde, Robert F.	Music	1971	3	B.S., M.A.
Libby, Martha R. (Mrs.)	Reading	1959	15	B.S., M.Ed.
Lillie, Rupert	Art	1953	24	S.B., M.E.A.
Pryor, Sonja	Music	1964	7½	M.Ed.
Shields, Ellen C. (Mrs.)	Physical Education, PT	1971	8	B.S.
Slade, Faith F. (Mrs.)	Speech, PT	1963	8	B.A., M.A.
Spiewak, C. Robert	Music, PT	1971	4	B.M., B.A.
Winters, Sandra L.	Art	1971	1	B.S.
Ziendlak, Barbara A. (Mrs.)	Reading	1968	6	B.S., M.Ed.
Baker, Gary G.	Curriculum Director	1968	9	B.A., M.A.T., C.A.G.S.
Cameron, John N.	Dir. of Pupil Pers. Serv.	1959	15	B.S., M.Ed.
McCandless, Thomas E.	Adjustment Coord.	1971	3	B.A., M.S.

## TEACHER AID

Lotito, Anna M. (Mrs.)	1970	2
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## SCHOOL NURSE

Washburn, Barbara H. (Mrs.)	1968	4	R.N.
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## SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Larchez, Albert R.	1960	M.D.
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## SECRETARIES

Crowell, Mary (Mrs.)	Hamilton Jr. High	1957	15
D'Arcy, Jean (Mrs.)	Winthrop	1966	6
Medeiros, Beatrice L. (Mrs.)	Cutler	1967	5

## CAFETERIA

Sheppard, Ellen M. (Mrs.)	Manager	1970	23
Foote, Ellena E. (Mrs.)	Hamilton Jr. High	1959	13
McGinley, Evelyn G. (Mrs.)	Hamilton Jr. High	1962	10
Davis, Mildred (Mrs.)	Winthrop	1965	7
Giles, Madeline F. (Mrs.)	Winthrop	1964	8
MacGregor, Louise (Mrs.)	Winthrop	1964	8
Butman, Ruth (Mrs.)	Cutler	1970	2
Sheppard, Alberta (Mrs.)	Cutler	1969	3

## CUSTODIANS

Henderson, Earle W.	Hamilton Jr. High	1964	8
Pollard, Vernal	Hamilton Jr. High	1955	17
Pollard, Robert J.	Winthrop	1970	2
Surpitski, Kastanty	Winthrop	1965	7
Humphrey, Hovey	Cutler	1942	29
Pollock, Kenneth F.	Cutler	1971	3

## BUS CONTRACTOR

Lamson Bus Lines, Inc. (contract expires June 30, 1974)

## BUS SUPERVISORS

Allen, Sandra (Mrs.)  
 Halliday, Louise (Mrs.)  
 Moss, Catherine (Mrs.)  
 Peltier, Marilyn K. (Mrs.)



## AGE OF ATTENDANCE

Pupils entering the kindergarten in September must have been at least four years of age on January 1st preceding entrance in September. Parents registering a child for kindergarten must present to the principal the child's birth certificate, vaccination certificate, and a statement from a doctor of the result of a physical examination which was given within five (5) weeks of the registration. The school holds a regular registration for kindergarten children each spring at which time physical examinations are given by the school doctor.

## VACCINATION

According to Legislative Acts of 1967, Chapter 590, each child, unless otherwise exempted, to be admitted to school shall present "a physician's certificate that the child has been successfully vaccinated against smallpox and immunized against diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus, measles and poliomyelitis and such other communicable diseases as may be specified from time to time by the department of public health."

## NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

As a matter of policy, school will be in session whenever possible. When weather conditions are questionable, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment as to whether or not their children attend school.

If it seems inadvisable to have school sessions, the following procedure for no school signals will be observed. Radio Stations WHDH, WBZ, WNAC, WEZE, and WMLO will be notified not later than 7:00 a.m. so that notification may be broadcast by them between 7:15 and 7:30 a.m. At 7:00 a.m. the no school 22 - 22 will be sounded on the local fire alarm.

# HAMILTON AND WENHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL CALENDAR

1972 - 1973

Summer School 1973 - July 2 - August 10

## 1972

August 31	Thursday	Principals' Meeting, 9:00 a.m.
September 1	Friday	Teachers new to the system - meeting
September 4	Monday	Labor Day - No School
September 5	Tuesday	Workshop for all teachers
September 6	Wednesday	School starts for students - full day
October 9	Monday	Columbus Day - No School
October 23	Monday	Veterans' Day - No School
November 22	Wednesday	Schools close at Noon
November 23 & 24	Thurs. & Fri.	No School - Thanksgiving Recess
December 22	Friday	Christmas Vacation - Schools close at regular time

## 1973

January 2	Tuesday	Schools Open
*February 19-23		No School
February 26	Monday	Schools Open
*April 16-20		No School
April 23	Monday	Schools Open
May 28	Monday	Memorial Day - No School
June 22	Friday	Schools Close

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\*Because some holidays occur within established school vacations it would appear that the February and April vacations are quite definite; however, a storm(s) or other emergency could make it necessary that days lost be made up during these vacation periods and/or the closing date of school advanced into the week of June 25, 1973.

## REPORT OF PLANNING FOR A REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL

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A committee was authorized by the 1971 town meeting to study with committees from other communities the feasibility of a vocational technical school for the North Shore. Included in the study are Lynnfield, Beverly, Gloucester, Peabody, Salem, Boxford, Danvers, Essex, Hamilton, Manchester, Marblehead, Middleton, Rockport, Swampscott, Topsfield, and Wenham. The purposes of the study committee include:

1. to study the advisability of establishing a regional vocational district and its operation.
2. to determine the size and cost of a vocational building and methods of financing it.
3. to make recommendation to the communities involved in the study including a proposed agreement.

It is necessary to have special legislation for the vocational school organization and such a bill has been filed with the 1972 legislature.

The vocational school under consideration would provide training for specific trades and skills to about twenty Hamilton and fourteen Wenham youth. Each town's financial contribution would be in proportion to its share of the total student enrollment. Federal and State funds provide a significant contribution to vocational schools of this type.

The study committee will continue to meet and carry out further details of planning. It will take several years to make this vocational school a reality for the North Shore.



REPORT

of the

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

of the

HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL

SCHOOL DISTRICT

1971

## HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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Members	Term Expires
Dr. Harold D. Moses, Chairman, 307 Essex St., So. Hamilton	1972
Dr. Benjamin Brettler, V. Chairman, 16 Burnham Rd., Wenham	1974
Charles F. Terrell, Secretary, 60 Topsfield Rd., Wenham	1972
Robert N. Secord, Asst. Secretary, 197 Main St., Wenham	1972
Richard S. Herndon, Jr., Treasurer, 8 Moynihan Rd., So. Hamilton	1974
Joe Y. Jackson, 37 Old Cart Rd., So. Hamilton	1972

### ADMINISTRATION

#### Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School

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Hammond A. Young, B.A., M.Ed., C.A.G.S.	Superintendent of Schools
Marion E. Seaver (Mrs.)	Secretary
Muriel G. Afholderbach (Mrs.)	Bookkeeper
Jean M. Towne	Clerk
Marion O. Day (Mrs.)	Part-time Clerk
Joyce C. MacDiarmid (Mrs.)	Part-time Clerk
Madeline Ricker (Mrs.)	Census



## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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TO THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON AND WENHAM:

This year marks the beginning of our 10th year of operation for the Regional School. We have been able to observe a steady progress of our academic achievements and a general growth in maturity for the school. Your Committee has seen our 10th anniversary as a time for reflection in terms of our goals and purposes, and too, as a time for reassessment not only about our past but about what the future might hold for our students. The next ten years, the seventies, will provide some answers about the validity of our decisions.

Project Adventure has had a strong and positive impact on the school since its inception in September. We consider this project one of the most creative and exciting new concepts in learning that the Regional has ever undertaken.

Miss Mabel Noyes, head of our English Department for many years, retired last June. Her devotion to high standards not only in her subject matter but in all other aspects of the school's operation set a tone of excellence at the Regional which will be missed.

The bond proposal for the new Regional Junior High School will be brought before the voters in April of this year. It is our hope that before the vote the residents of both towns will avail themselves of all the information that will be provided in open hearings, small meetings, and brochure and in the press. Our recommendation is based on gross educational inadequacies in our present buildings, both of which are attuned to education in the thirties.

We wish to make special mention in this report of the general excellence of our teaching staff. Their spirit of cooperation with the administration and their many voluntary contributions to the welfare of the students have created an improved morale and climate in the school.

Mr. Jerome Pieh has now completed his first year as Principal, and both communities have greatly benefited from his enthusiastic and innovative approach to education. We look forward to a continuing advance at the Regional under his administration.

We wish to acknowledge with thanks the support of both communities in an attempt to make the Regional responsive to students, parents, and ideas.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. HAROLD D. MOSES, Chairman  
DR. BENJAMIN BRETTLER  
CHARLES F. TERRELL  
ROBERT N. SECORD  
RICHARD S. HERNDON, JR.  
JOE Y. JACKSON

## REPORT OF THE HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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TO THE HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
COMMITTEE AND THE CITIZENS OF HAMILTON AND  
WENHAM:

The enrollment in grades 9 - 12 increased to 862 as school opened its tenth year in September 1971. This is a substantial growth from the 485 enrolled in September 1962. The enrollment in grades 3 - 8 assure moderate increases for the next several years at the junior and senior high school levels.

A committee composed of Regional High School graduates and faculty under the chairmanship of James E. Hall, former school committee member, is planning ways to appropriately recognize the tenth anniversary of the Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School. A history of the school will be written with copies available to the public libraries and at the high school. Activities will be held as a part of homecoming in October and during the 1972 Christmas period.

There were several changes in the staff for 1971-72 including the retirement of Mabel Noyes, teacher of English and department chairman from the beginning of the school in 1962. The commercial department has added a course in Distributive Education which is currently funded by the state. The practical arts area has increased the courses and now over 500 students study one or more of these subjects.

A Title III program, "Project Adventure," has received \$96,000 from federal funds to give realistic experiences to the high school youth. The program includes special training in physical education, science, and social studies. The staff of four professional instructors and a secretary develop definite units of study, teach them and then evaluate the results. Physical challenges appear to develop confidence in students that carries over to academic and life activities.

Your attention is called to school reports which are included in this annual report. The proposed regional junior high school is discussed in the town section of the school report.

There is increasing legal evidence that more state and federal funds will be made available to reduce the dependence on the real property tax. Usually with the increased financial help on a project there is increased control. Probably state aid will be increased because of the decision in the courts in three states which requires less dependency on the

local property tax. The impact on local educational standards, possible controls on the teachers, administrators and school can be either satisfactory or a problem.

The school committee, staff, principal and supporting staff are endeavoring to provide your child with the opportunities for a real education and the development of right attitudes and personal dedication.

My thanks are extended to each of you for your help and support.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMMOND A. YOUNG

Superintendent of Schools

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

The position of Director of Curriculum has changed and expanded since it was first started in 1968. Originally the position involved just five goals: (1) To coordinate curriculum between the Hamilton and Wenham Schools, grades K - 12; (2) To determine the strengths and weaknesses of the curriculum; (3) To propose and help implement new curriculum programs in order to overcome weaknesses in the curriculum; (4) To propose and help implement in-service teacher education and curriculum development workshops; (5) To propose, write, and help implement projects funded by non-local sources.

Added to the above goals have been such responsibilities as writing the School Newsletter and other school publications or written releases; directing the implementation of Hamilton's Planning - Programming - Budgeting System; participating in School Committee sub-committees' work; helping with cooperative programs with other school systems and miscellaneous assistance to the school administrators. Although such activities are worthwhile they cut down on the time available for the achievement of the original goals.

New programs were begun this year in Distributive Education which is supported fully by federal funds; social studies with the development of over 30 elective courses built around performance objectives; mathematics with the development of an individualized program in algebra; and physical education, science and community service with the implementation of Project Adventure which was proposed and funded for \$97,000.

Project Adventure, with an outstanding professional staff of four people, has already had a profound effect on the school. Students have been enthusiastically participating in the new tenth grade physical education course being developed by Project Adventure which is based on the principles of the Outward Bound Schools. They have also participated in community involvement and service projects, trips into the wilderness of northern New England and the congestion of Boston, and numerous group initiative activities. It is anticipated that the program will continue next year with increased involvement from other schools.

Workshops were held in social studies, English, mathematics and physical education this past summer.

A major thrust has begun again to improve our program for those students who are planning on entering the job market right out of high school. A Cooperative Vocational Education proposal for a fully federally

funded work-study program has been submitted which will, if approved, accommodate 30 students and eventually 60. A proposal for assistance under Title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act which would help prepare students for adult responsibilities right out of high school is also being submitted. We are actively participating in the planning of the North Shore Regional Vocational-Technical High School which could help a large number of our students prepare for a vocation, though it is probably at least four years away from being built. Meanwhile, a regional cooperative program between several schools on the North Shore is being planned. The Distributive Education program being coordinated by Miss Dina Hamilton and supervised by Mrs. Mary Bergman is now providing a work-study experience for 14 students and will probably be expanded. We are also investigating the possibility of providing a Special Education program with a vocational preparation orientation for students who have major difficulties with our present curriculum even though it is becoming more and more flexible and individualized.

The Regional High School is increasingly becoming a stimulating and meaningful place in which to grow and mature. Many alternative educational opportunities are being offered students that were not present in most schools only a few years ago and which are still not present in many of the larger high schools. Students who have graduated from the Regional speak of their "excellent preparation" and are yet enthused over its continued improvement. Much of the credit for this is due to Mr. Pieh and the high school staff. We are fortunate to have them, and I am indeed fortunate, to be working with you and them.

Respectfully submitted,

GARY G. BAKER

Director of Curriculum



## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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### TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

Providing an effective, efficiently operated educational setting for the youth of Hamilton and Wenham is a challenging, exciting, and generally rewarding assignment for the faculty and staff of the High School. The past year has been a time of growth and positive development at the school. Much remains to be done, but major improvements have been made.

1. **Project Adventure** The new Title III Program is off to a strong start in the physical education, science and social studies departments, as well as in the school as a whole. Robert Lentz and his staff are a welcome addition to the school. We are optimistic that the Project will help to increase self-confidence, bolster commitment to others, and improve skills of leadership and group inter-action.

2. **Reading and Language Development** Miss Kay Miller and the English Department are building a much needed program to assist students in the improvement of reading ability, study skills, and basic English concepts.

3. **Distributive Education Program** Miss Dina Hamilton and the Business Education Department have launched a new marketing, sales, distribution, and retailing program for seniors. Thirteen students combine their school assignments with supervised work experience. Since many students enter the working world directly from High School, this first step toward the development of programs to prepare students for work is a welcome addition to the school program.

4. **Social Studies Curriculum Development** Mr. Aieta and his busy department have launched new sources in history, political science, philosophy, psychology and other areas of social science. They have increased the rigor and productivity of the department.

5. **Industrial Arts Curriculum Development** Mr. Hale has led his department into a new series of one-semester introductory courses and two full years of specialization in woodworking, metal working, drawing, and electricity. Plans are being set for a formal cooperative education work-study program. Enrollment has increased and diversified.

6. **Mathematics Curriculum Development** New department chairman, Gelean Campbell, and his colleagues have continued the develop-



ment of the individualized standard level Algebra program. The department is also working to improve the new general math program. These improvements have markedly increased the school's ability to assist their students in learning mathematics.

These major improvements suggest the strengthening of the school that has occurred this year. Other similar developments in music, athletics, art, and freshman class activities have also occurred this year.

Two areas remain as points of major dissatisfaction. First, improved procedures for increasing the follow-up of individual academic programs is needed. The increase of semester and tri-mester courses, plus the availability of various work-study opportunities, requires improvements in this area. Secondly, the appropriate increase in student responsibilities has introduced new problems in student discipline. The Regional, like all other youth agencies, must improve its ability to help troubled young people better adjust to the demands of living in a vigorously changing society.

Respectfully submitted,

JEROME A. PIEH

Principal

# HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL BUDGET

## 1972

### Line Item Cost

	Total	67.42% Hamilton	32.58% Wenham
ADMINISTRATION			
Fees, etc.	\$ 7,350	\$ 4,955	\$ 2,395
Central Office	22,099	14,899	7,200
Expenses of Instruction	741,250	499,751	241,499
Other School Services	93,870	63,287	30,583
Plant Operation	78,250	52,756	25,494
Fixed Charges	35,530	23,954	11,576
Equipment	11,000	7,416	3,584
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	\$989,349	\$667,018	\$322,331
Less Income (Est.)	98,489	66,400	32,089
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Operating Costs	\$890,860	\$600,618	\$290,242
Bonds and Interest	140,190	59,027	34,363
Less State Aid	46,800		
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Local Cost	\$ 93,390	\$659,645	\$324,605
1971 - Local Cost		642,629	290,876
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Increase		\$ 17,016	\$ 33,729

### INCREASE

Impact on 1972 tax rate	35 cents	96 cents
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## HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 1972 BUDGET

	1970 Budget	1971 Budget	1972 Budget
Administration:			
Fees, Negotiating and Planning	\$ 9,175	\$ 9,950	\$ 7,350
Central Office Expenses	18,287	19,770	22,099
Expenses of Instruction	590,850	688,965	741,250
Other School Services	74,570	79,101	93,870
Plant Operation and Maintenance	68,150	74,300	78,250
Fixed Charges	25,050	32,460	35,530
Outlay for Regular Equipment	12,700	13,800	11,000
<b>TOTAL OPERATING COSTS</b>	<b>\$798,782</b>	<b>\$918,346</b>	<b>\$989,349</b>
Less Income: (est.)			
State Transportation Reimbursement	\$ 36,000	\$ 38,000	\$ 42,000
Budget Balance (est.)	5,700	17,000	18,000
Budget Balance - Previous Years	17,629	5,000	4,919
P. L. 874	7,500	5,000	4,500
P. L. 864 - Title V	1,400	1,400	—
Rent and Other Income	1,200	1,000	1,000
Tuition	5,000	6,000	5,000
Tuition - METCO	—	8,400	10,000
Distributive Education (State)	—	—	9,000
Federal Payment for Equipment	—	—	4,070
<b>GRAND TOTAL - OTHER INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 74,429</b>	<b>\$ 81,800</b>	<b>\$ 98,489</b>
<b>NET LOCAL OPERATING COSTS</b>	<b>\$724,353</b>	<b>\$836,546</b>	<b>\$890,860</b>
Bonds and Interest	147,330	143,760	140,190
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$871,683</b>	<b>\$980,306</b>	<b>\$1,031,050</b>
State Bond Reimbursement	46,800	46,800	46,800
<b>NET LOCAL COST (1972)</b>	<b>\$824,883</b>	<b>\$933,506</b>	<b>\$984,250</b>
<b>NET LOCAL COST (1971)</b>		13.16%	—933,506
<b>PROPOSED INCREASE</b>			<b>+\$ 50,744</b> <b>(+5.43%)</b>

## ENROLLMENT - OCTOBER 1, 1971

## Wenham

272 students	=	32.58%	(Oct. 1, 1971)
248 students	=	30.62%	(Oct. 1, 1970)
259 students	=	32.91%	(Oct. 1, 1969)

## Operating Budget

1972	32.58%	X	890,860	=	\$290,242.00
1971	30.62%	X	836,546	=	\$256,150.39
1970	32.91%	X	724,353	=	\$238,385.00

## Hamilton

563 students	=	67.42%	(Oct. 1, 1971)
562 students	=	69.38%	(Oct. 1, 1970)
528 students	=	67.09%	(Oct. 1, 1969)

## Operating Budget

1972	67.42%	X	890,860	=	\$600,618.00
1971	69.38%	X	836,546	=	\$580,395.61
1970	67.09%	X	724,355	=	\$485,968.00

## Capital Costs

	1971	1972
Bonds	\$105,000	\$105,000
Interest	38,760	35,190
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	\$143,760	\$140,190
Less State Bond Reimbursement	46,800	46,800
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Total Local Capital Payment	\$ 96,960	\$ 93,390

## Wenham

1963 Equalized Valuation:	
Students	= 32.58
Equalized Value	= 41.01
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	73.59 = 36.795%
93,390 X 36.795%	= \$34,363.00

## Hamilton

1963 Equalized Valuation:	
Students	= 67.42
Equalized Value	= 58.99
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	126.41 = 63.205%
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93,390 X 63.205	= \$59,027.00

## SUMMARY BUDGET

## Local Costs

	1972	1971
Wenham - Operating Budget	\$290,242	\$256,150.39
Wenham - Bonds and Interest	34,363	34,726.22
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Wenham - Total	\$324,605	\$290,876.61
Equal = \$33,729		
 Hamilton - Operating Budget	 \$600,618	 \$580,395.61
Hamilton - Bonds and Interest	59,027	62,233.78
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Hamilton - Total	\$659,645	\$642,629.39
Equal = \$17,016		

35c on Hamilton's tax rate

96c on Wenham's tax rate

## HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL BUDGET

1972

## LINE ITEM COST

	Budget 1971	Budget 1972
ADMINISTRATION		
School Committee Expenses	\$ 200	\$ 200
Membership (NESDEC, State and National)	550	550
Treasurer's Salary	1,200	1,200
Treasurer's Supplies	200	200
Treasurer's Audit	200	200
Legal Fees	600	1,000
Jr. High School Planning	2,000	2,000
Negotiating Fee	5,000	2,000
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		\$ 7,350
Superintendent's Salary	8,800	9,435
Superintendent's Travel (in-state)	370	370
Conf. and Travel (out-of-state)	300	300
Secretarial Salaries	8,000	9,694
Supplies, Maintenance of Equipment,		
Postage and Printing	700	700
Office Telephone	600	600
Contingency	1,000	1,000
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		\$ 22,099
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TOTALS	\$ 29,720	\$ 29,449

## INSTRUCTION

Salaries - H. W. Adm. (2)	\$ 34,800	\$ 37,000
Principal's Travel and Expenses	500	450
Secretarial Supplies	9,640	10,500
Supplies - Principals	1,000	1,200
Telephone	1,400	1,800
Office Contingency	200	200
Data Processing - Sched. & Report Cards	3,500	3,500
Teacher's Salaries	485,000	531,000
Department Chairman and Coaches	29,000	32,000
Project Adventure	3,000	6,000
Substitutes	2,800	2,800
Staff Expenses to Conferences	1,700	1,650
Fees for Speakers	200	200
Matching Fund	1,250	1,500
Curriculum Study	7,500	7,500



Workshops	150	150
Staff Aides	3,700	5,000
Staff Leave	3,500	0
Short Course	1,000	800
Tutoring	1,200	1,200
Textbooks	10,000	10,000
General Supplies	5,000	5,200
Physical Education	1,000	1,200
Art	1,150	1,300
Shop	3,700	3,700
Shop	1,000	1,000
English	225	200
Science	2,200	2,300
Graduation	800	800
Binding	500	500
Business Education	1,200	1,000
History	1,200	700
Math	200	200
Foreign Language	160	600
Humanities	570	
Librarian	10,720	8,000
Library Books and Magazines	5,500	5,000
Library Supplies	700	800
Librarian's Assistant	3,300	3,100
Audio-Visual	7,000	6,000
Audio-Visual Repair	1,500	1,000
Guidance Personnel	34,500	37,500
Clerical	4,300	4,700
Travel	300	300
Guidance and Testing Supplies	1,200	1,300
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$688,965</b>	<b>\$ 741,250</b>
<b>OTHER SCHOOL SERVICES</b>		
School Physician	\$ 1,300	\$ 1,400
Nurse	5,900	6,250
Supplies	220	220
Transportation	40,000	49,000
Educational Trips	3,300	3,500
Athletic Trips	5,800	5,800
Cafeteria Manager	2,900	2,800
Supplies	1,200	1,000
Athletic Equipment	8,000	7,000
Officials, Insurance and Operation	8,500	8,000
Shoes		2,000
Music	1,781	1,700
Dramatics	200	200
Music - Instruments		1,000
Uniforms		4,000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 79,101</b>	<b>\$ 93,870</b>

## OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL

Custodian's Salaries	\$ 28,000	\$ 28,000
Extra Duties	1,200	1,200
Custodial Supplies	2,800	2,800
Waste and Garbage Collection	650	900
Fuel	9,500	12,000
Electricity	11,000	11,500
Gas	150	150
Water	500	400
Grounds	5,500	6,500
Snow Removal	2,000	2,000
Building	7,700	7,700
Mechanical	3,000	2,800
Equipment	2,300	2,300
TOTALS	\$ 74,300	\$ 78,250

## FIXED CHARGES

Retirement	\$ 7,500	\$ 7,500
Treasurer's Bond	225	210
General Liability	975	1,150
Workmen's Compensation	1,825	2,250
Boiler	475	450
Weldon House	200	200
Burglary	300	
Blue Cross and Insurance	17,800	20,000
Musical Equipment Insurance	85	95
Insurance on Building	1,200	1,800
Umbrella Liability	675	675
Interest on Current Loans	1,200	1,200
TOTALS	\$ 32,460	\$ 35,530

## OUTLAY FOR EQUIPMENT

Other Equipment	\$ 13,800	\$ 11,000
TOTAL OPERATING COSTS	\$918,346	\$ 989,349

## CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

Bond Payment	\$105,000	\$ 105,000
Interest on Bonds	38,760	35,190
TOTALS	\$143,760	\$ 140,190

GRAND TOTALS	\$1,062,106	\$1,129,539
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# HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S STATEMENT

December 31, 1971

## ITEM

	Budget	Spent To Date	Balance
1000 Administration	\$ 29,720.00	\$ 29,622.91	\$ 97.09
2000 Instruction	688,965.00	676,567.76	12,397.24
3000 Other School Services	79,101.00	79,609.91	(508.91)
4000 Plant Operation and Maintenance	74,300.00	73,989.27	310.73
5000 Fixed Charges	32,460.00	29,598.88	2,861.12
7000 Outlay for Equipment	13,800.00	14,875.25	(1,075.25)
8100 Bond Payment	105,000.00	105,000.00	-0-
8200 Interest on Bonds	38,760.00	38,760.00	-0-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,062,106.00</b>	<b>\$1,048,023.98</b>	<b>\$ 14,082.02</b>

## REVENUE

	Budget	Rec'd To Date	Balance
Hamilton	\$ 642,629.39	\$ 642,630.00	\$ (.61)
Wenham	290,876.61	290,880.00	(3.39)
Transportation	38,000.00	26,932.00	11,068.00
State Aid on Bonds	46,800.00	46,802.98	(2.98)
Tuition	6,000.00	7,270.00	(1,270.00)
Tuition - Metco	8,400.00	8,400.00	-0-
Previous Years Budget Balance	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
1970 Budget Surplus	17,000.00	17,000.00	-0-
1971 Rents and Other Revenue	1,000.00	2,781.42	(1,781.42)
NDEA	1,400.00	961.39	438.61
PL 874	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
Loan			

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,062,106.00</b>	<b>\$1,053,657.79</b>	<b>\$ 8,448.21</b>
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<b>BALANCE - CURRENT YEAR</b>			<b>\$ 5,633.81</b>
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1969 Budget Balance	\$ 1,029.90
1970 Budget Balance	3,889.11
PL 874	4,701.20
Withholding Taxes:	
Blue Cross	15.60
Insurance	.54
Instruction Revolving Fund	7,000.00
Music Revolving Fund	173.45
Special Library Revolving Fund	52.26
Jr. High School Planning	6,700.00

Mass. ESEA	147.33
Driver Education Equipment	4,070.75
Distributive Education	9,600.00
Metco Program	8,800.00
Project Adventure	35,407.89
Project Adventure Encumbered Special Revolving Fund	2,000.00
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BALANCE - BEVERLY NATIONAL BANK	\$ 89,221.84

## SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

Construction Account	\$ 3,561.16
Cafeteria Revolving	9,401.23
Athletic Revolving	2,581.59
Adult Education Revolving	174.79
Cincinnati Revolving	1,050.00
Recognition Revolving	610.00
Samuel R. Peabody Memorial Fund	290.78
Summer School Revolving	263.42

## HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

December 31, 1971

## ADMINISTRATION

## SPENT

School Committee Expenses	\$ 501.55
Membership (NESDEC: State, Natl.)	145.44
Treasurer's Salary	1,200.00
Treasurer's Supplies	233.04
Treasurer's Audit	-0-
Legal Fees	1,210.84
Jr. High School Planning	1,952.18
Negotiating Fee	3,962.64
Superintendent's Salary	8,880.00
Superintendent's Travel (in-state)	369.96
Conf. and Travel (out-of-state)	263.11
Secretarial Salaries	9,016.90
Supplies, Maint. of Equip., Postage and Printing	1,096.56
Office Telephone	630.82
Contingency	159.87
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 29,622.91</b>

## INSTRUCTION

Salaries - H.W. Adm. (2)	\$ 33,999.96
Principal's Travel and Expenses	388.38
Secretarial Salaries	9,302.88
Supplies - Principal's Office	1,942.79
Telephone	1,758.79
Office Contingency	234.05
Data Processing - Scheduling and Report Cards	3,150.00
Teachers' Salaries	473,366.57
Dept. Chairmen and Coaches	27,112.50
Project Adventure	3,000.00
Substitutes	3,640.00
Staff Expenses to Conferences	1,457.33
Fees for Speakers	75.00
Matching Fund	1,682.25
Curriculum Study	7,013.25
Workshop	75.73
Staff Aids	2,750.80
Staff Leave	3,367.37
Short Courses	16.25
Tutoring	1,086.00
Textbooks	10,929.24
General Supplies	3,149.93
Physical Education	1,030.34
Art	1,137.80

Shop	3,974.39
Home Economics	835.29
English	772.56
Science	1,517.39
Graduation	1,410.02
Binding	26.20
Business Education	1,012.05
History	1,370.59
Math	304.22
Foreign Language	7.53
Humanities	-0-
Librarian	9,709.79
Library Books and Magazines	5,345.49
Library Supplies	447.72
Librarian's Assistant	2,741.60
Audio-Visual	6,787.35
Audio-Visual Repair	533.75
Guidance	35,640.47
Clerical	4,161.30
Travel	199.35
Guidance and Testing Supplies	1,103.49
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 669,567.76</b>

#### OTHER SCHOOL SERVICES

School Physician	\$ 1,035.00
Nurse	5,544.39
Supplies	221.25
Transportation	39,696.00
Educational Trips	1,346.05
Athletic Trips	5,275.32
Cafeteria Manager	2,309.80
Supplies	882.51
Athletic Equipment	8,411.10
Officials, Insurance and Operation	12,849.07
Music	1,924.33
Dramatics	115.09
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 79,609.91</b>

#### OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL

Custodians' Salaries	\$ 26,685.90
Extra Duties	686.59
Custodial Supplies	3,127.13
Waste and Garbage Collection	800.00
Fuel	10,770.01
Electricity	10,217.48
Gas	133.92



Water	465.70
Grounds	4,916.45
Snow Removal	1,135.75
Building	8,436.09
Mechanical	3,016.83
Equipment	3,597.42

TOTAL	\$ 73,989.27
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## FIXED CHARGES

Retirement	\$ 6,209.23
Treasurer's Bond	204.00
General Liability	942.75
Workmen's Compensation	1,918.72
Boiler	311.96
Welldon House	133.82
Burglary	-0-
Blue Cross and Insurance	18,231.88
Musical Equipment Insurance	91.00
Insurance on Building	564.20
Umbrella Liability	-0-
Interest on Current Loans	991.32

TOTAL	\$ 29,598.88
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## OUTLAY FOR EQUIPMENT

Other Equipment	\$ 14,875.25
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TOTAL OPERATING COSTS	\$ 897,263.90
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## CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

Bond Payment	\$ 105,000.00
Interest on Bonds	38,760.00

TOTAL	\$ 143,760.00
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GRAND TOTAL	\$1,041,023.98
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Encumber for wage freeze	\$ 7,000.00
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## PUBLIC LAW 874

Balance, January 1, 1971	\$ 7,853.20
Receipts	1,848.00
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Total	\$ 9,701.20
Budget 1971	5,000.00
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ENDING BALANCE	\$ 4,701.20

## N. D. E. A.

Balance, January 1, 1971	\$ 961.39
Budget, 1971	961.39
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ENDING BALANCE	-0-

## ATHLETIC REVOLVING FUND

Balance January 1, 1971	\$ 2,751.49	
Receipts	4,069.25	
Payments	4,239.15	(169.90)
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Balance, December 31, 1971	\$ 2,581.59	

# HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

## TEACHER DIRECTORY

Name	Subject	Appt.	Yr. Exp.	Degrees
Pieh, Jerome A.	Principal	1970	9	A.B., M.A.T., C.A.G.S.
Amirault, James D.	Asst. Principal	1968	19	B.Mus., M.Ed.
MacDiarmid, Donald W.	Guidance Director	1962	30	A.B., M.Ed., C.A.G.S.
Aieta, Richard A.	Chmn. History Dept.	1970	7	B.A.
Baker, Ronald V.	Chmn. Language Dept.	1962	10	B.S., M.Ed.
Barney, Edna A. (Mrs.)	Librarian	1966	7	B.S.
Berg, Earl	Biology	1971	4	B.S., M.S.
Bergman, Mary P. (Mrs.)	Chmn. Business Dept.	1962	36	B.S., M.Ed.
Breault, Dexter E.	French	1970	5½	B.A., M.A.
Campbell, Gelean	Chmn. Math Dept.	1971	16	B.S., M.Ed.
Carratu, Michael R.	Math	1969	3	A.B.
Coffey, Edward J.	Guidance	1966	13	A.B., M.Ed.
D'Agnesse, Norma (Mrs.)	Business	1967	5	B.S., M.Ed.
DeMott, Susanne (Mrs.)	Biology	1970	2	B.A.
Dorman, Thomas F.	Math	1967	6	B.S., M.Ed.
Ferrini, Margaret D. (Mrs.)	English	1962	23	A.B., M.Ed. & 30 sh
Gaumont, A. Ronald	Math	1968	9	B.S., M.A.
Gray, Carolyn B. (Mrs.)	Math	1968	4	B.S.
Griffin, Richard L.	Social Studies	1970	5	A.B., B.D.
Hale, Fred W.	Chmn. Ind. Arts Dept.	1962	14	B.Ed., M.Ed.
Halverson, Peder Q.	English	1970	4	B.A., M.A.
Hamilton, Dina G.	Distributive Ed.	1968	4½	B.S., M.Ed.
Harkness, Ruth L. (Mrs.)	Guidance	1970	3½	B.A., M.Ed.
Hayward, Robert R.	Chmn. English Dept.	1962	17	B.A., M.A.
Irwin, JoAnn (Mrs.)	Chemistry	1971	1	B.S.
Jones, Kenneth W.	English	1970	7½	B.A., M.A.
Kalicki, Ronald W.	History	1969	3	B.A.
Kinney, Sherman A.	Chmn. Phys. Ed. Dept.	1962	15½	B.S., M.Ed.
Lassonde, Robert F.	Music	1971	3	B.S.
Lyons, Daniel E.	Science & Ind. Arts	1970	2½	B.S.E.
McKay, Priscilla E.	English	1962	25	B.A., M.Ed.
McLoon, Richard F.	Humanities	1962	18	B.Mus.
Maltais, Paul D.	Spanish	1969	3	A.B.
Martin, Horace S., Jr.	Social Studies	1962	25	B.S., M.Ed.
Mello, Clifford R.	Physical Education	1969	6	B.S.
Miller, Sylvia K.	English, Reading	1971	8	B.A., M.A.
Mobley, Susan M. (Mrs.)	English	1967	7	B.A.
Murphy, Anne A. (Mrs.)	Home Economics	1970	2	B.S.
Naigles, Susan E.	History	1970	2	A.B., M.Ed.
Neuman, Wendy J.	Art	1971	2	B.F.A., M.Ed.
Pryor, Sonja	Music	1966	7½	M.Ed.
Rosser, Patricia M. (Mrs.)	French	1968	7	B.S.
Sawyer, Stephen C.	Math	1969	7	B.S., M.Ed.
Scanlon, Lawrence J., Jr.	Mech. Draw. & Shop	1967	5	B.S.E.
Sentkowski, Alan M.	Biology	1969	3	B.S., M.A.
Simpson, Harold B.	Chmn. Science Dept.	1962	15	B.S., M.S., M.Ed.
Simpson, Robert B.	Science	1964	15	B.S., M.Ed.
Swanson, Norman L.	Math	1965	7	B.S., M.A.
Swisher, Jennifer P.	Physical Education	1969	6	B.S.

Sykes, Virginia F.	English	1971	4	B.A.
Tompkins, Walter A.	Science	1967	7	B.S., M.Ed.
Vrees, Zoe E.	English	1969	3	A.B.
Westrates, Shirley (Mrs.)	English & Business	1971	1	B.A.
Woodsom, Sally	Physical Education	1967	8	B.S.
Woron, Diane (Mrs.)	French	1968, 1971	3	A.B.
Zaniboni, Norman E.	Industrial Arts	1969	5	B.S.E.

### PROJECT ADVENTURE

Lentz, Robert R.	Director	1971	11	M.A., M.Ed.
Rohnke, Karl		1971	9	B.S.
Schoel, James		1971	7	B.A.
Smith, Mary (Mrs.)		1971	7	A.B.
Vendrick, Carole (Mrs.)	Secretary	1971	1	

### SECRETARIES

Chambers, Carol	Principal's Office	1971	13	
Speranza, Laura	Principal's Office	1970	2	
Smalley, Sonja M. (Mrs.)	Guidance Office	1971	22	

### STAFF AIDS

Briggs, Georgia W. (Mrs.)	Social Studies	1971	1	
Hindman, Virginia E. (Mrs.)	English	1967	5	
Seaverns, Mary E. (Mrs.)	Library	1971	4	

### MEDICAL SERVICES

Maybury, Grace K. (Mrs.)		1962	10	R.N.
Larchez, Albert R.				M.D.

### CAFETERIA

Sheppard, Ellen M. (Mrs.)	Manager	1970	23	
Barry, Elizabeth L. (Mrs.)		1968	4	
Cullen, Lillian (Mrs.)		1962	10	
Gauthier, Margaret E. (Mrs.)		1970	2	
Perkins, Martha T. (Mrs.)		1965	7	

### CUSTODIANS

Tanguay, Francis A.	Head Custodian	1970	2	
Knight, Lawrence H.		1962	10	
Landers, G. Alfred		1970	2	
Silva, Frank M.		1968	4	

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